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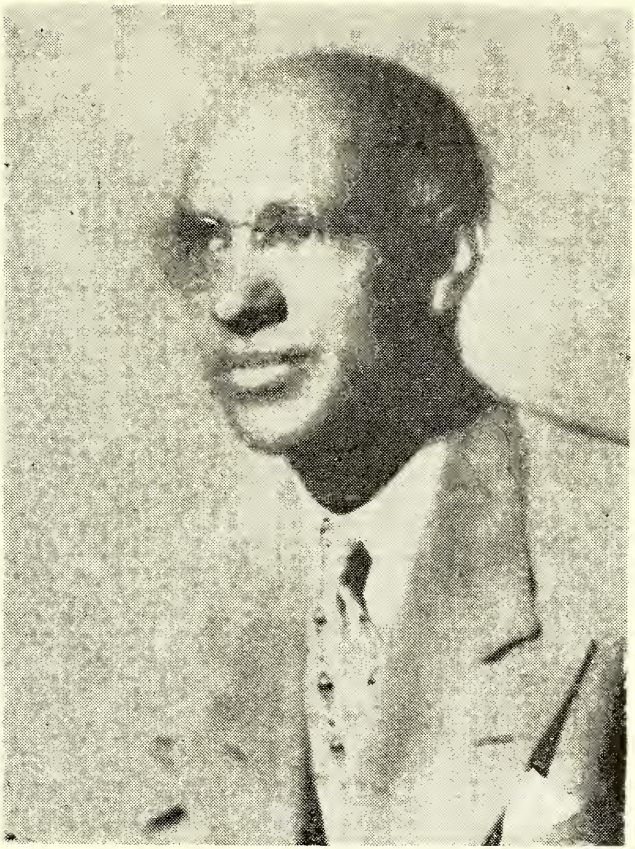

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N. W. Greensboro—Mr. D. W. Morehead 905 Trinity St., Greensboro, N. C.
Mt. Tabor—Mr. Raymond Maxwell .. Route 8, Box 33, Greensboro, N. C.
Newport News Ct.—Mr. J. A. Callahan ..... 1109 Forty-first St., Newport News, Va.
Oxford Ct.—Mrs. Anna Hester ..... 115 Granville St., Oxford, N. C.
Randleman—Mrs. Susie Bell ..... Randleman, N. C.
Raleigh—Mr. Claton Brower ..... 1021 Oberlin Rd., Raleigh, N. C.
Reidsville—Mr. E. M. Townes, Jr. ..... Reidsville, N. C.
St. Peters—Mr. L. D. Lewis ..... Route 1, Randleman, N. C.
Mt. Zion—Mr. J. H. Minor ..... Route 7, Box 823, Greensboro, N. C.
Summerfield Ct.—Mrs. R. W. Winchester .. 425 Bennett Street, Greensboro, North Carolina
St. James and Zion Hill—Mrs. W. W. Johnson ..... 1000 Julian Street, Greensboro, N. C.
St. Matthews—Mr. C. W. Winchester 425 Bennett Street, Greensboro, N. C.
Greensboro—Miss H. C. Chatman 509 S. Benbow Rd., Greensboro, N. C.
Union Memorial—Prof. J. W. Sapp Pearson Street, Greensboro, N. C.
Wesley Chapel and Chapel Hill—Mr. D. L. Wright . Rt. 6, Greensboro, N. C.

WINSTON DISTRICT

Advance—Mrs. Annie R. Brown .. 2053 Thurmond St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Reserve—Mrs. Mary Scott ..... Box 57, Advance, N. C.
Asheboro & St. Mark—Mr. C. A. Barrett Box 495, Asheboro, N. C.
Reserve—Mr. Charles Tyson ..... 337 Watkins St., Asheboro, N. C.
Mitchell—Mrs. J. W. Strickland ..... Rt. 5, Box 362, Asheboro, N. C.
Reserve—Mrs. E. S. Jones ... 825 E. Salisbury St., Asheboro, N. C.
Elkin & Jonesville—Mrs. Susie White ..... Box 94, Jonesville, N. C.
Reserve—Miss Hazel Carter ..... Rt. 1, Box 15, Jonesville, N. C.
Brooks Memorial—Mr. N. S. Morehead ..... 1506 Boundary St., High Point, N. C.
Reserve—Mrs. Cora Evans ..... 713 Hilltop St., High Point, N. C.
St. Mark—Miss A. L. Jones ..... 825 Fairview St., High Point, N. C.
Reserve—Mr. T. A. Brower 218 Underhill Ave., High Point, N. C.
Hoovers Chapel—Mrs. Dorothy Worth 314 Turner St., Thomasville, N. C.
Reserve—Mr. Sam Dorsett . 109 Turner St., Thomasville, N. C.
Lexington & Midway—Miss P. I. Eller Rt. 5, Winston-Salem, N. C.
Reserve—Mrs. P. I. Wells 110 Raleigh Road, Lexington, N. C.
Madison Charge—Miss Bessie Franklin ..... P. O. Box 172, Madison, N. C.
Reserve—Mrs. Essie Walls ..... P. O. Box 51, Stoneville, N. C.
Pilot Mt. & Mt. Airy—Mrs. A. Tillman-L. A. Wynn ..... P. O. Box 207, Pilot Mt., N. C.
Reserve—Miss V. Galloway ..... Mt. Airy, N. C.
Oak Grove Charge—Mrs. Ruth Brock .. 3826 Carver Road, Winston-Salem, North Carolina
Reserve—Mr. L. C. Eldridge ..... Box 394, Rural Hall
Penhook & Boonmill—Miss E. Storkey ..... Rt. 1, Box 212, Hardy, Va.
Reserve—Mrs. H. Mahan ..... Penhook, Va.
St. John—Mr. E. P. Thomas ..... 100 Church St., Thomasville, N. C.
Reserve—Mr. L. May ..... 124 Church St., Thomasville, N. C.
Trinity—Mr. H. Kearns ..... Rt. 1, Trinity, N. C.
Reserve—Mr. J. Gray ..... Rt. 2, Trinity, N. C.
Mt. Pleasant—Mr. Ralph Black .. 18 B, Columbia Terrace, Winston-Salem, North Carolina
Reserve—Mrs. J. C. Rush .. 808 N. Graham Ave., Winston-Salem, N. C.
St. Andrews—Miss B. Watts ..... 1417 E. 4th St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Reserve—Mr. John Litaker ..... 525 Liberia St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Sts. Home—Mrs. L. McGhee .... 1438 N. Cherry St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Reserve—Mrs. T. Jackson ..... 1717 Thomas St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Mrs. Margie Joyce ..... Rt. 6, Box 463 A, Mt. Airy, N. C.
St. Paul—Atty. R. C. Ervin ..... 13 E. 3rd St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Reserve—Mr. A. J. Baker ..... 1321 Thurmond St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Jones Temple

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

John Wesley—Mrs. K. M. Webb ..... 628 Mechanic St., Fayetteville
Reserve—Mrs. Maxine Carter ..... 1013 Albert St., Fayetteville
Rowland-Salem—Mrs. Emily Benton ..... P. O. Box 311, Rowland
Reserve—Mr. Benjamin McCallum ..... Rt. 1, Box 216, Rowland
St. George—Bruce Hargrove ..... P. O. Box 516, Maxton
Reserve—Ernest Wilkins ..... P. O. Box 515, Maxton
Ryan Memorial—S. C. McCorkle ..... P. O. Box 251, Red Springs
Reserve—Mrs. Katie Thrower ..... P. O. Box 211, Red Springs
St. James—Walter McCall ..... Fairmont
Reserve—Ed McGill ..... Fairmont
Sanford Ct.—Mrs. Mary F. Smith ..... Rt. 3, Box 196, Lillington, N. C.
Mt. Zion & New Zion—Joda Galbreth ..... Rt. 2, Box 234, Red Springs
John's—Miss Anna Armstrong ..... Rt. 3, Box 159, Laurinburg
Piney Grove—W. M. McKee ..... Rt. 1, Maxton

Reserve—Reedy McLaurin ..... Rt. 1, Maxton
Mt. Olive—Alex Hersey ..... P. O. Box 543, Lumberton
Reserve—Mrs. Mary J. Francis ..... P. O. Box 486, Lumberton
St. Peter—T. R. McDonald ..... 701 Pine St., Hamlet
Reserve—J. M. Robertson ..... P. O. Box 844, Hamlet
Galilee—Miss Pansy McCleland ..... P. O. Box 101, Laurinburg
Reserve—Miss Emma McLean ..... 110 N. Pine St., Laurinburg
St. Peter—Judge McNeil ..... Rt. 1, Waghram
Reserve—Mrs. Lucy McNeil ..... P. O. Box 2, Waghram
Beauty Spot—T. R. McNair ..... Rt. 1, Rowland
Reserve—Mrs. Victoria Adams ..... Elrod, N. C.
St. John's—Ashey McLamb ..... 831 Greenlee St., Goldboro
Reserve—Waldo Banner ..... 1108 St. John St., Goldsboro
Smith Chapel—Miss Alice Graham ..... Rt. 1, Bolton, N. C.
Reserve—Mrs. Naomi Lacewell ..... Rt. 1, Bolton, N. C.
Millers—Mrs. M. L. Rozier ..... Rt. 2, Box 284, St. Paul, N. C.
Simpson Memorial—H. B. Heath ..... 1208 Graham St., Charlotte
Reserve—Miss Laura L. Proce ..... 1215 Beauty's Ford Rd., Charlotte
Hoffman—Miss Olivia Peace ..... Hoffman, N. C.
St. James—James Pearson ..... P. O. Box 238, Pembroke
(Pembroke)
Philadelphia—Ben Zula Little ..... Rt. 2, Box 157, Rockingham
Reserve—Mrs. Amelia Hines ..... Rt. 2, Box 234, Rockingham
Walls Chapel—Grady McRae ..... Raeford, N. C.

THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

CONFERENCE RULES OF ORDER

1. The Conference shall meet at 9:00 a.m. and open with devotional exercises, and close at 12:30 p.m.

2. The Memorial Services shall be held the first morning of the Conference immediately following the Communion Service and shall include the calling of the roll of the honored dead.

3. The nominating committee consisting of five persons shall be appointed by the Bishop quadrennially.

4. No person shall be a member, concurrently, of more than two standing committees or commissions (except as provided for by the Discipline).

5. The Conference fiscal year shall end 20 days before the first day of the Annual Conference.

6. The pastors' reports shall be in the hands of the treasurer and statistician 15 days before the opening day of the Annual Conference.

7. The reports of all major commissions and committees shall be mimeographed and passed out at the seat of the Conference on or before the day the report is read.

8. The roll of Conference lay members shall be called at the opening day of the Conference.

9. The Treasurer's report shall be mimeographed and passed out at the meeting of the Conference.

10. The minutes of the Annual Conference shall be printed and distributed within 90 days after adjournment of the Conference.

11. All recommendations and memorials shall be presented to the Conference in duplicate form.

12. All motions from the floor shall be in writing when requested by the secretary of the Conference.

13. The program for the Annual Conference shall be arranged by a committee composed of the host pastor, the host district superintendent, the Conference lay leader. and two persons at large named by the nominating committee, in consultantation with the Bishop.

14. When a member wishes to speak he must arise and address the chair and shall not proceed until he is properly recognized by the presiding officer.

15. No member shall speak on any question more than once until all who wish to do so have spoken, nor shall a member speak more than ten minutes except by permission of the Conference.

16. Motions made and seconded, reports made and accepted are to be deemed the property of the Conference and cannot be withdrawn without the consent of the Conference.

17. All motions to lay on the table, to take from the table, shall be taken without debate, but the one who offers a formal motion or resolution shall have five minutes to close debate and this right shall not be forfeited by a motion ordering the previous question or to lay on the table.

18. All questions of privilege shall be decided by the president.

19. No member of the Conference shall be recognized who is outside the boundary of the Conference.

20. The following motions may take precedence of the original motion or precedence of each other in the order given here: (a) to adjourn to a given time; (b) to adjourn indefinitely; (c) to take up the order of the day; (d) to lay on the table; (e) to move up the order of the day; (f) to postpone to a given time; (g) to refer to a committee; (h) to amend; (i) to postpone indefinitely.

21. Any person voting with the majority may move a reconsideration, but such motion shall not be debatable.

22. The yeas and nays may be taken on any motion on the call of one-third of the members present.

23. These rules may be suspended by a two-third vote of the Conference.

24. These rules may be amended at any regular session of the Conference by a two-third vote, provided such amendments be presented in writing at least one day before action is taken.

Respectfully submitted:

COMMITTEE ON RULES,
NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

(Made at the Conference 1956)
Raleigh, N. C.

DAILY PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 4, 1957

6:45 P.M.

DEVOTIONS ..... Rev. C. G. Bynum
WELCOME PROGRAM ..... Mr. A. W. Harper, Presiding
ANNUAL SERMON ..... Rev. L. A. Brown
MUSIC ..... ST. ANDREWS CHURCH CHOIR

8 P.M.

BRIGHT FUTURE BANQUET: Honoring Bishop and Mrs. Love, and special recognition to Reverends L. M. Mayfield and G. M. Phelps, retiring district superintendents.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 5, 1957

9:30 A.M.

THE NINETY-NINTH SESSION, of the North Carolina Conference opened at the St. Andrew Methodist Church, Winston-Salem, N. C.

Overlooking the city from the hills known as the "Happy Hill" section of Winston-Salem, one can also view one of the important institution in the south, Salem College and Salem Academy, both institutions were founded by the Moravians.

HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE, was conducted by Bishop Edgar A. Love, presiding, and assisted by the host pastor and the district superintendents.

COMMUNION MEDITATION, by Bishop Love, using as a subject, "That They All May Be One."

MORNING OFFERING is for mission work in Borneo, which is $104.12.

ORGANIZATION OF THE CONFERENCE

ROLL CALL, was made, all effective elders answered to their name, after which, the roll call was taken for the lay delegates on the Winston and Greensboro districts. The other two districts will have their list ready later.

ASSISTANT SECRETARIES, were elected, which are; J. W. Ferree and J. W. Gwyn.

ASSISTANT TREASURERS, O. W. Burwick and J. F. Sawyer.

ASSISTANT STATISTICIANS: Glenn A. Brooks

POSTMASTER: H. William Phillips.

THE PUBLICITY COMMITTEE, will report the news for the conference.

BOUNDS FOR THE CONFERENCE, were established, which will be the first seven rows from the front across the sanctuary.

MOTION, by G. E. Hogue, "that Mrs. Love be allowed to sit within the bounds of the conference. Motion passed.

ADOPTION OF THE PROGRAM was placed before the conference. It was moved that the program be adopted, and corrected as necessary. Motion passed.

Dr. L. Scott Allen, editor of the CENTRAL CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE, was introducted, at which time Dr. Allen presented a check from the Methodist Publishing House, to the amount of $1,373.04.

MOTION, by G. E. Hogue, "that the check from the book concern be turned over to the conference treasurer." Motion passed.

MOTION, by T. H. Wootten, that the conference send a message of greetings to Bishop R. E. Jones. Motion passed.

THE GAVEL used by Bishop Love, is made from from wood of the Wesley Chapel, London, England.

Introductions: Dr. T. B. Echols and Dr. Dennis R. Fletcher.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

11 A.M.

PRESIDING, B. F. Stewart

PRAYER, by Marshall McCallum

THE ROLL CALL OF, deceased members and relatives of members of the conference was given: they are, Will Thompson, Brother McNair and Mrs. E. Frost.

MEMORIAL MESSAGE, was delivered by J. W. Gwyn, theme for his message "Christian Laborers Sleeping In Christ," text Acts 13:31

BENEDICTION

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 5, 1957

2:15 P.M.

DEVOTION, conducted by W. R. Royster

PRAYER, By W. P. Cole

REPORTS, from the district sueprintendents was called for by Bishop Love, they were given by T. H. Wootten, Western District; R. C. Sharpe, Laurinburg District; G. M. Phelps, Greensboro District; and L. M. Mayfield, Winston District. The character of each district was approved by the conference.

G. E. Hogue, Dean of the Youth Assembly Conference, made announcements on the program of the Assembly to be held at Bennett College, July 1-5, 1957.

MOTION, by W. R. Crawford, "that the conference pay the balance of $363.50, to the Clay Printing Company of Winston-Salem, N. C." Motion passed. Bishop Love asked that the roll be called by the conference treasurer, so that the conference would know those who have not paid for the journal. He reminded the conference that we should have the journal in 90 days, but it cannot be done if you do not pay the bill.

4 P.M.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, by Douglas E. Moore, emphasizing the importance of supporting the Youth Assembly in July.

VISITORS PRESENTED: Rev. Stinson. of the AME Church and Rev. McEwen, from the CME Church.

ADDRESS, by Dr. Dennis R. Fletcher, his subject for this occasion was "Coming To Maturity." At the close of his speech questions were asked by the conference as to the ways a church can secure help in the building of new churches. Dr. Fletcher, gave the group much information on the work and the problems involved in securing a loan.

Mr. James A. Hamilton, of the Board of Temperence was presented.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Douglas Moore, was excused by the conference to continue his duties as an instructor at Lake Junaluska.

MEETING AJOURNED

THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 6, 1957

8:45 A. M.

DEVOTION, by D. S. Hartness

BUSINESS SESSION, Bishop Love, presiding.

REPORT ON THE CONFERENCE JOURNAL: O. W. BURWICK, MOTION that the JOURNAL as written be adopted, motion passed.

REPORT, by G. M. Phelps on conference maintance, MOTION, by Phelps that the report be received, motion passed.

REPORT, by Dr. Daniel Rideout, Administratative Assistant of the Baltimore Area was heard. (see reports) MOTION, by Phelps that the report be received.

"CHRIST AND MYSELF," was discussed by the conference Bishop Love, stressed the importantance of placing this booklet before the people, so that they will know how to do the work of the church. Brother Robinson, a lay-delegate from Hamlet, stated that he had purchased 25 copies and placed them in the home of the members and friends of the St. Peters Church. Bishop Love spoke very highly of the work of Brother Robinson.

MOTION, by Phelps, that we accept the report of the Director of Survey and Research, and place it in the Journal, MOTION, passed.

SPECIAL PRIVILEGE, was granted to Daniel Rideout, who reminded the ministers to pick up a copy of the Central Christian Advocate, which carried an article by Bishop Love, on the minister and his preparation for a sermon. Issues of the paper was passed out to the ministers.

RESOLUTION by G. E. Hogue, (see resolutions) Motion to adopt the resolution. The report was referred to the commission on World Service and Finance.

RESOLUTION was presented by R. C. Sharpe, on Race Relations, which was referred to the Committee on Intergretation. MOTION passed.

REPORT ON THE CENTENNIAL, of the Conference will be the order of the day at 2:30 this afternoon.

MOTION, that a roll call be taken at 10:30 Friday morning, motion passed.

ADMENDMENTS, coming from the General Conference was read by Bishop Love, which was presented to the conference for them to vote on. Voting on Number 10, admendment, first, those in favor of this admendment, was: 106 in Favor, Against 0, None refraining. Number 11, was read by Bishop Love, FAVOR 106, AGAINST 0, NONE Refraining.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, WAS given by C. A. Barrett, MOTION BY Barrett that the adoption of his report. Motion passed.

REPORT OF BOARD OF EVANGELISM, was read by C. A. Barrett, motion for the adoption, motion passed. (see reports)

BISHOP RAYMOND L. ARCHER AND Mrs. Archer were presented,

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MOTION, by R. C. Sharpe that we take an offering for E. C. Campbell, because of the passing of his child he had to return home. Motion passed. The amount of the offering $53.20.

SERMON by Joseph Bethea was most inspiring at 12 noon.

ADJOURNMENT

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 6, 1957

2:20 P.M.

DEVOTION, by J. D. Ashford

PRAYER by W. S. Berry

BUSINESS SESSION

BISHOP LOVE, presiding

REPORT of the Committee on Conference Statistics and History was given by G. H. Caldwell. (See Report)

C. E. STRICKLAND, a member of the committee was given the floor to speak on the seat of the next Annual Conference. He stated that he was desirous to have the conference in Charlotte next year, because of the type of program that is planned. He stated that he would not ask for the conference for next year.

SEAT OF THE 100th Annual Conference will be at Bennett College.

Bishop Love commended the committee on their report and stated that they had some good plans.

MOTION to adopt the report was made. Report received.

AUTHORIZED the Conference Secretary to bind the current issues of the Conference Journal. Motion passed.

3 P.M.

Bishop Love, presiding, who also presented Bishop Raymond L. Archer, retired bishop of the Singapore Area. Bishop Archer, presented Mrs. Archer, who spoke to the conference on the WSCS in the Singapore Area. Bishop Archer's speech was on the "Magic of Love." The message was of great value and wonderful information on our work in that area.

REPORT ON THE COMMISSION OF TOWN AND COUNTRY, was given by G. E. Hogue.

MOTION to adopt the report was made by G. E. Hogue. Motion passed.

REPORT, by C. E. Strickland, was given on the Radio Commission. MOTION to receive the report was made. Motion passed.

The Conference adjourned.

FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 7, 1957

9:15 A.M.

DEVOTION by O. M. Graham

BUSINESS SESSION: BISHOP LOVE, Presiding.

MOTION, by D. S. Harkness, "that the Publicity Committee be changed to the Committee on Public Relations and Methodist Information." Motion passed.

COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE, report was given by J. E. Brower, after some discussion and the answering of many questions. MOTION was made that we accept the report as a whole. Motion passed. Two voted against.

REPORT ON MINISTERIAL TRAINING, WAS given by G. H. Caldwell. Motion, "that the report be received and adopted." Motion passed.

11:15 A.M.

PENSION FUND REPORT, was called for by Bishop Love. The district superintendents called the roll on each district, to ascertain the amount pledged by each minister. The report will show the amount pledged and paid by each minister. (PENSION FUND REPORT).

MOTION, by D. S. Harkness, "that the pledges of the pastor's pledge become a part of the charge apportionment. Motion was duly seconded. Votes counted 88 in favor of the motion, 5 against.

VISITORS, were presented.

ANNOUNCEMENT

MOTION, "that the afternoon session begin at 2 P.M., rather than at 2:15.

A TELEGRAM was requested to be sent to Bishop Bowen and the Upper Mississippi Conference.

BENEDICTION

12 NOON

THE NOONDAY MESSAGE, was delivered by Dr. C. C. Armstrong, he used as a text, Numbers 14:33, subject: "Giants of God"

BENEDICTION

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 7, 1957

2 P.M.

DEVOTION CONDUCTED, by O. W. Burwick

BUSINESS SESSION, Bishop Love, presiding.

At this time the conference continued the roll call of the districts, which consumed this entire session.

MOTION, by W. P. Cole, "that our Saturday Morning Session begin at 8:45." Motion passed.

SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 8, 1957

8:45 A.M.

DEVOTION, by I. A. Friend, PRAYER was offered by W. T. Lomax.

BUSINESS SESSION: BISHOP LOVE, presiding.

COMMITTEE REPORT ON THE JOURNAL, the proceedings of the Friday's session were found to be correct. Motion to receive them was made. Motion passed.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT, was made by G. H. Caldwell. Names were changed where the person had moved out of the conference or otherwise. MOTION, was made where the committee had not held a meeting to elect a chairman, the first name will be the chairman." Motion passed.

CONFERENCE COMMISSION ON PROMOTION AND CULTIVATION, report was given and received by the conference. (see reports)

QUADRENNIAL COMMITTEE ON CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION, reported on the Wesley Foundations that have been established on the campus of A & T College and at Fayetteville State College. All persons on the Board of Directors at A & T College were approved. The Board for the Fayetteville State College was also approved without the list, which is to be printed in the JOURNAL.

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE BOARD OF LAY-ACTIVITES, WAS given by the conference lay-leader, A. L. Morrison. The report was received by the conference.

STATISTICIAN, REPORT, was given by J. J. Patterson. The report was received by the conference with the necessary corrections.

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, "that each district hold a statistical session of the district in time for the report to be in the hands of the treasurer and statistician, 15 days before the Annual Conference.

TELEGRAM FROM BISHOP AND MRS TAYLOR, sending their greetings to the conference. The secretary was requested to write a letter of thanks, and best wishes to them.

MOTION, by R. C. Erwin, "that each district superintendent hold their district conference." Motion passed.

Because of the heavy schedule a ten minute break was taken.

Dr. Willa B. Player, president of Bennett College was presented. At which time she extended the invitation for the conference to hold its 100th session on the campus.

SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC RELATIONS COMMISSION, report was given by J. T. Jones. The report was received by the conference.

CONFERENCE LAY-LEADER, A. L. Morrison, made the report for the laymen.

ATTY. RICHARD ERWIN, offered a resolution for the BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES, (see resolutions) MOTION, to accept the resolution was made. Motion passed.

CONFERENCE RULES OF ORDER: RULE NO. 5, was ruled out of order. Bishop Love stated that RULE NO. 5 is unconstitutional, and requested that the numbering be changed accordingly.

RECEIVED INTO FULL MEMBERSHIP, are, John G. Corry, John S. Mills, Miles Murphy.

RECEIVED ON TRAIL, Theodore Allen Powell, Avery E. Robinson, James Franklin Campbell

PRESENTATION was made by G. H. Caldwell and Mrs. J. E. Brower to the retiring district superintendent of the Greensboro District, The Reverend and Mrs. Phelps.

PRESENTATION was made by G. A. Brooks and Mrs. G. A. Brooks, to the retiring district superintendent, The Reverend and Mrs. L. M. Mayfield.

Mrs. Mayfield and Mrs. Phelps, gave expressions of appreciations to the minister's wives for the wonderful support given them while on the district.

REPORT OF THE MINISTERS' WIVES: Laurinburg District $404.00 Western District $956.00, Winston District $1469.35, Greensboro District $1117.00, total of $4046.35, which is to be used in the Reserve Pension Fund.

PRESENTED TO THE CONFERENCE, was Mrs. R. C. Hughs, who also sang a solo, Mrs. Edgar A. Love, was presented to the group, as also was Mrs. B. L. Burge, whose husband is retiring at this conference.

Mrs. S. L. Townsend, presided over the Ministers' Wives' program.

Bishop Love read a letter from the Board of Missions, congratulating the Reverend W. R. Royster, for paying his loan back in full. Bishop Love, encouraged others to follow this good example.

MOTION, "That we receive an offering for those who served in the kitchen and dining room." Motion passed. The offering received was $26.02

W. J. Cameron, was elected, CONFERENCE MISSIONARY SECRETARY.

REPORT FROM THE BOARD OF WORLD PEACE, was presented without reading, which will be placed in the conference JOURNAL.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER, L. A. Brown. Report received.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE ANNIVERSARY

ANNIVERSARY OF NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE CENTRAL JURISDICTION

Presiding ..... **Mrs. A. P. McLeod, President**

Saturday, June 8, 1957

PROGRAM

Instrumental Music, 458 ..... Field

Silent Prayer: (Music Continuing)

We thank thee Lord, Thy paths of service lead
To blazoned heights and down the slopes of need;
They reach Thy throne, encompass land and sea,
And he who journeys in them walks with thee."

Call To Worship:

Declare his glory among the heathen, his wonders among all people.
For the Lord is great, and greatly to be praised: He is to be feared above all Gods.
For all the Gods of the Nations are idols; but the Lord made the heavens.
Honour and majesty are before him: strength and beauty are in His sanctuary.

Hymn 483—"From All The Dark Places"

Scripture and Meditation

Prayer ..... Mrs. Katie Webb, Spiritual Life Secretary

Hymn 72—"This Is My Father's World"

Remarks ..... Mrs. A. P. McLeod, President

A Skit—"Our World,"—Held In Their Hands, Looked At, and Studied By 250 Representatives at Buck Hill Falls, Pennsylvania early in March.

(The Conference On Missions of 1957 sponsored by the Woman's Division)

Characters—Mrs. Mary N. Morrison, Conf. Sec. of Missionary Education
Mrs. Minnie Smith, Greensboro District Sec. of Missionary Education

Hymn 507—"In Christ There Is No East Or West"

Offering—Mrs. G. M. Phelps, Conf. Treasurer assisted by District Treasurers

Presentation of Guest ..... Mrs. L. M. Mayfield

Announcements

Closing Hymn 416—"Bless Be The Tie"

Benediction

Postlude—Hymn 182—"O Master Of The Waking World," (Theme Hymn)

SUNDAY MORNING, JUNE 8, 1957

11 A.M.

ORDINATION SERVICES:
DEACONS
ELDERS

MORNING WORSHIP ..... Reverend H. William Phillips, Presiding

SERMON ..... BISHOP EDGAR A. LOVE

FINAL ITEMS OF BUSINESS

READING OF APPOINTMENTS ..... Bishop Love

BENEDICTION

THE METHODIST CHURCH

THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the North Carolina Annual Conference held in Winston-Salem, N. C., from June 4, 1957, through June 9, 1957. Bishop Edgar A. Love, presiding. Organized May 1845??? 99th Session.

PART I. ORGANIZATION AND GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Who are elected for the quadrennium: Secretary? William R. Crawford, 1701 Shadymount Ave., Winston-Salem, N. C. Statistician? J. J. Patterson, 755 Washington Street, High Point, N. C. Treasurer? L. A. Brown, 625 Asheboro Street, Greensboro, N. C.
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? Yes.
3. Bonding and auditing:
   (a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in what amounts? L. A. Brown, $10,000.00 Conference Treasurer: J. E. Brower, Treasurer of Trustees, $1,000.00.
   b) Have the books of said officers of persons been audited? Yes.
4. Have the conference boards, commissions, and committees been appointed or elected? Yes.
   a) Board of Ministerial Training and Qualification? Yes.
   b) Committee on Conference Relations? Yes.
   c) District Committees on Ministerial Qualification? Yes.
   d) Committee of Investigation? Yes.
   e) District Boards of Church Location and Building? Yes.
   f) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference? Yes.
   g) Commission on World Service and Finance? Yes.
   h) Commission on Town and Country Work? Yes.
   i) Deconess Board? Yes.
   j)Board of Missions? Yes.
   k) Board of Education? Yes.
   l) Board of Temperance? Yes.
   m) Board of Lay Activities? Yes.
   n) Board of Hospitals and Homes? Yes.
   o) Board of Evangelism? Yes.
   p) Board of Pensions? Yes.
   q) Commission on Christian Vocations? Yes.
   r) Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service? Yes.
   s) Commission on Minimum Salaries? Yes.
   t) Commission on Promotion and Cultivation? Yes.
   u) Committee on Reserve Pensions? Yes.
   v) Quadrennial Committee on Local-Church Goals?
   w) Optional commission and committees? Yes.
5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by The Methodist Church? Yes.
6. What is the report of the statistician? See report.
7. What is the report of the treasurer? See report.
8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? (See supplementary report.)
9. What is the schedule of minimum salaries for pastors? $1,800.00
10. What is the plan and what are the approved claims for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year? $4,000.00 Salary, and $500.00, for expense. $600.00 parsonage
11. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of conference claimants? 15% of the pastor's cash salary
12. What are the apportionments to this conference:
    a) For the World Service Fund? 49.4% $14,834.00
    b) For the Episcopal Fund? 2% of the pastor's cash salary
    c) For the General Administration Fund? 1.7% or $531.00
    d) For the Interdenominational Co-operation Fund? $421.00 or 1.3%
    e) For the Jurisdictional Administration Fund? $1.5% or $480.00

13. What is the percentage division between world service and conference benevolences for the current year: World service? 49.4% Conference benevolences? 33.4%
14. What are the reports, recommendations, and plans of the conference agencies:
    a) What is the report of the Board of Pensions and what appropriations for conference claimants are reported and approved?
    b) What is the report of the Board of Missions of disbursements of missionary aid within the conference?
    c) What is the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance?
    d) What is the report of the Commission on Christian Vocations?
    e) What are the other reports? See reports.
15. What Methodist institutions or organizations are approved by the conference for annuity responsibility? Bennett College; Allen High School; Gammon Seminary
16. What date is determined for Golden Cross Enrollment Sunday? None
17. Conference lay leader:
    a) Name A. L. Morrison, Address P. O. Box 132, Statesville, N. C.
    b) What is his report? See report
    c) Who are district and associate lay leaders?
18. What local churches have been:
    a) Organized? None
    b) Merged? None
    c) Discontinued? None
    d) Relocated, and to what address? None
    e) Transferred into this conference from the Central Jurisdiction, and with what membership. None
        1) This year?
        2) Previously?

PART II. PERTAINING TO MINISTERIAL RELATIONS

19. Are all the ministerial members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration? Yes
20. Who constitue the Conference Committee of Investigation? See committees.
21. Who are the approval supply pastors:
    a) Student approved supply pastors, and in what schools are they enrolled? None
    b) Part-time approved supply pastors, and what progress has been made in the course of study? Lawrence A. Thomas (3yrs.), Leonard Eldridge (4 yrs.), Bufford C. Miller (4 yrs.)
    c) Full-time approved supply pastors, and what progress has each made in the course of study? None
22. What approved supply pastors are credited with annuity claim on account of full-time service during the past year? None.
23. What preachers, coming from other evangelical churches, have had their orders recognized:
    a) As local deacons? A. H. Douglas
    b) As local elders?
24. Who have been admitted from other evangelical churches as traveling preachers:
    a) As members on trial: Deacons? None.
        Elders? None
    b) As members in full connection: Deacons? None.
        Elders? Miles Murphy, Jr.

25. Who are admitted on trial:
a) With degrees from approved colleges and credits from approved schools of theology? Theodore Allen Powell (1 yr.)
b) With degrees from colleges not accredited by the University Senate and credits from approved schools of theology? None.
c) Witth degrees from approved colleges and completion of the introductory studies for the ministry? Esau Alfred Williams (1 yr.) ¾ vote of conference
d) With partial college credit, completion of the four-year course of study, and six years' service as approved supply pastors? Harry A. Smith

26. Who are continued on trial, and what progress have they made in their ministerial studies:
a) In approved schools of theology? Avery E. Robinson, Gammon Seminary; Gilbert H. Caldwell, Jr., Boston University.
b) In the four-year course of study? E. J. Jones; James Franklin Campbell
c) In the two years of special study? None

27. Who on trial are discontinued? None

28. Who are admitted into full connection? John G. Corry

29. Who have been elected deacons:
a) Theological students? Theodore Allen Powell; Avery E. Robinson; Esau Alfred Williams; James Franklin Campbell
b) Members on trial in the course of study? Liston Sellers (1 yr. con'd); Harry A. Smith
c) Approved supply pastors? None
d) Other local preachers? None
e) Missionaries? None
f) Chaplains? 1

30. Who have been ordained deacons? Theodore Allen Powell; Avery E. Robinson, Esau Alfred Williams

31. Who have been elected elders:
a) Theological graduates? John G. Corry
b) Course of study graduates? None
c) Approved supply pastors? None
d) Other local preachers? None
e) Missionaries? None
f) Chaplains? None

32. Who have been ordained elders? John Greely Corry

33. Who have been admitted or ordained too accomodate other conferences: None
a) Admitted: On trial?
Into full connection? None
b) Ordained after election by this conference: Deacons? None
Elders? None
c) Ordained after election by other conferences: Deacons? Gilbert H. Caldwell, Jr.
Elders? None

34. Who are readmitted:
a) As deacons? None
b) As elders? None

35. What retired members have been made effective? None

36. Who have been received by transfer? None.

37. Who have been transferred out? W. C. L. Scarborough, Washington Conference, June 3, 1957

38. Who have had their conference membership terminated:
    a) By voluntary location? Ennis W. Whaley
    b) By involuntary location?
    c) By withdrawal?
    d) By judicial procedure (expelled)?
39. Deceased: None
    a) What ministerial members have died during the year?
    b) What approved supply pastors have died during the year? Will Thompson; Henry McNair
    c) What deaccnesses have died during the year? None
40. Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? None
41. Who are granted sabbatical leave? None
42. What ministerial members have been retired:
    a) This year? B. L. Burge
    b) Previously? H. A. Davis, E. Frost, E. M. McLeod, W. T. Lomax, R. W. Winchester, J. W. Shuford, T. C. Frazier, J. H. Ledwell, D. C. Skeen.
43. What approved supply pastors have been retired:
    a) This year? None
    b) Previously? T. D. McCorkle, E. A. Rush
44. Who are appointed to attend school? Gilbert H. Caldwell, Jr.; Theodore Powell; James F. Campbell
45. What is the number of:
    a) General Information:
        Pastoral charges? 87
        Approved supply pastors? 23
        Received on trial? 4
        Received into full connection? 1
        Transferred in? 0
        Total value? 0
        Transferred out? 1
        Received from other evangelical churches? 0
        Readmitted? 0
        Discontinued? 0
        Withdrawn? 0
        Expelled? 0
        Indebtedness? 0
        Located? 1
        Deceased? 0
        Local preachers? 2
        Women under appointment? 1
        Retired made effective? 0
        Retired serving as supply pastors? 5
        District parsonages? 0
    b) Ministerial members:
        (1) On trail:
            (a) As pastors? 5
            (b) Under special appointment? 3
            (c) Apppointed to attend school? 2
                Total on trial? 10
        (2) In full connection:
            (a) Effective:
                (i) As pastors and district superintendents? 67
                (ii) Under special appointment? 4
                (iii) Appointed to attend school? 0
                (iv) On sabbatical leave? 0
                Total effective? 69
            (b) Retired? 10
            (c) Suppernumerary? 0

Total ministerial members: (Add total on trial, effective, retired, supernumerary.) 79

46. What other personal notation should be made? James David Ashford was received as a transfer in 1956, but his name was omitted from the record, (Transferred from the Upper Mississippi Conference

PART III. CONCLUDING BUSINESS

47. What are the detailed objectives of this conference for the coming year?
48. Where shall the next conference session be held? Bennett College, Greensboro, N. C.
49. Is there any other business? None
50. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference Session? None
51. Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year? (See list of appointments.)

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS

Bishop Edgar A. Love. Presiding

June 9, 1957

(Parentheses denote supply; * denotes change)

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

W. T. Brown, Superintendent

Basses Chapel & Raleigh Cross Roads	Eugene Black
Brown Summit Ct.	(W. T. Lomax)
Cox Chapel & Shady Grove	C. G. Bynum*
Durham	D. E. Moore
Empire Ct.	(F. D. Morehead)
GREENSBORO:	
Browning Chapel	C. C. Armstrong
Mount Tabor	(J. W. Shuford)
Saint Matthews	J. E. Brower
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster
Union Memorial	G. M. Phelps*
Warren St. & Mount Carmel	F. D. Caldwell
Kernersville	(W. N. Napper)
Laughlins and Ramseur	G. H. Caldwell
Leaksville	John G. Corry*
Mt. Zion	(J. H. Minor)
Newport News & Pleasant Ridge	(W. S. Berry)
Oxford	J. W. Gwyn
Raleigh	C. L. Gidney
Randleman	(I. C. Spinks)
Reidsville	Beverly Brown
St. James & Summerfield	W. N. Johnson
St. Peters	(R. M. Martin)
Collins Grove	T. C. Tarpley*
Wesley Chapel & Chapel Hill	W. E. Hairston
Zion Hill	Liston Sellers*
Missionary Secretary	C. C. Armstrong
Secretary of Evangelism	Beverly Brown
Secretary of Temperance	J. W. Gwyn
Director of Stewardship	W. J. Caveness
Director of World Peace	John G. Corry

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

R. C. Sharpe, Superintendent

Bolton ..... (E. M. McLeod)
Charlotte: Simpson ..... C. E. Strickland
Fairmont ..... (Walter Davis)
Fayetteville ..... R. B. McRae
Goldsboro ..... O. M. Graham
Hamlet ..... D. H. McLean*
Hickory Bend & St. Peters ..... (A. H. Douglas)*
Hoffman and Millers ..... John McEachin
John's Station, Piney Grove ..... J. H. McCallum
Laurinburg ..... G. E. Hogue
Laurinburg Ct. ..... Miles Murphy
Lumberton & Beauty Spot ..... J. W. Ferree*
Maxton ..... John S. Mills*
New Zion & Mt. Zion ..... B. F. Gleaves
Pembroke & Southern Pines ..... (E. C. Campbell)
Philadelphia ..... (D. C. Skeen)
Red Springs ..... F. F. McCallum*
Rowland & Salem ..... J. F. Sawyer
St. Marks ..... (W. M. Cooper)*
Sanford Ct. ..... J. L. Alford

Missionary Secretary ..... C. E. Strickland
Secretary of Evangelism ..... J. W. Ferree
Secretary of Temperance ..... J. F. Sawyer
Director of Stewardship ..... S. T. Brooks
Director of World Peace ..... O. M. Graham

WESTERN DISTRICT

T. H. Wootten, Superintendent

Asheville ..... Marshall McCallum*
Brooks & Philadelphia ..... S. B. McBrayer
Catawba & Browns ..... (T. D. McCorkle)
Forest Ct. & Union Mills ..... I. A. Friend*
Franklin ..... A. E. Robinson
Gastonia & Bessemer ..... J. T. Jones
Hickory & Conover ..... R. D. Sharpe
Kings Mountain ..... G. W. Patterson*
Lenoir & Warrier ..... S. L. Townsend
Lincolnton Ct. ..... (C. O. Hill)
Lowesville Ct. ..... A. W. Stowe
Marion ..... D. S. Harkness
Mooresville Ct. ..... J. Q. Dula*
Mt. Holly ..... (B. L. Burge)*
Mt. Beulah & Motts Grove ..... (R. H. McDowell)*
Newton & Granite Falls ..... J. D. Ashford*
Old Fort ..... (John Bowman)
Shelby Ct. ..... Esau A. Williams*
Stanley ..... (B. J. Dula)*
Statesville Ct. ..... C. W. Bailey
West Asheville ..... (O. S. Davenport)
Wilkesboro Ct. ..... M. S. Laughlin

Missionary Secretary ..... J. T. Jones
Secretary of Evangelism ..... A. W. Stowe
Secretary of Temperance ..... S. L. Townsend
Director of Stewardship ..... J. Jolly
Director of World Peace ..... D. S. Harkness

WINSTON DISTRICT
L. A. Brown, Superintendent

Advance ..... H. A. Smith
Asheboro & St. Mark ..... O. W. Burwick
Elkin & Jonesville ..... J. B. Bethea
High Point: Brooks Memorial ..... W. S. McLeod
High Point: St. Mark's ..... J. J. Patterson
Jones Temple & Oak Grove ..... (Otto Withers)
Lexington & Midway ..... G. A. Brooks
Madison Ct. ..... B. W. Stewart
Mitchell ..... E. J. Jones
Mt. Airy & Walkertown ..... L. B. Eldridge*
Penhock Ct. ..... Buford Miller*
Thomasville & East Chestnut Grove ..... J. W. Jones
St. Johns ..... W. J. Cameron
Trinity Ct. ..... W. P. Cole*
Winston-Salem: Mt. Pleasant ..... Wm. R. Crawford
St. Andrews & Walnut Cove ..... H. W. Phillips
St. Home ..... R. F. McCallum
(L. H. Jones) Asst.
St. Paul ..... L. M. Mayfield
Pilot Mt., Rural Hall & Red Bank ..... (P. G. Carter)*
E. M. Mattison transferred to Washington Conference, June 9, 1957

Missionary Secretary ..... R. F. McCallum
Secretary of Evangelism ..... J. W. Jones
Secretary of Temperance ..... J. J. Patterson
Director of Stewardship ..... Charles Tyson
Director of World Peace ..... Wm. R. Crawford

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

Conference Executive Secretary ..... Douglas E. Moore
Chaplain, United States Army ..... P. W. Jenkins
Conference Evangelism ..... Evangeline Frost
Professor, Wiley College ..... J. E. McCallum
Allen High School ..... Winifred M. Wrisley, Deaconess
Director, Wesley Foundation
Howard University ..... E. N. Mattison

LEFT WITHOUT APPOINTMENT TO ATTEND SCHOOL

G. H. Caldwell, Jr.
Theodore Powell
James F. Campbell

SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS

Conference Director of Stewardship ..... Marshall McCallum
Conference Missionary Secretary ..... W. J. Cameron
Conference Secretary of Evangelism ..... R. F. McCallum

REPORT OF THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS

WINSTON DISTRICT

Bishop Love, Pastors, Members and Friends of the North Carolina Annual Conference, it is with a deep sense of gratitude to God, our Heavenly Father for his sustaining grace that permits me to stand before you, to make this my sixth and final report as District Superintendent of the Winston District.

I count this a real honor and a very great privilege given me to serve in this capacity. I feel that the district has grown in the knowledge and wisdom of the church and that Gods' purpose and plan have been manifested in our work, as for me, your humble servant, I've been made strong in the faith; my vision is broader and my determination has been made strong therefore; my Christian Comrades; I retire from this position at this conference, a better worker, a better runner than I was six years ago. Yes, we as members of this Winston District can truly say, that God has blessed us and crowned our efforts with much success through each of these years.

It has been our custom and purpose at this point of our report, to pay special tribute to our many pastors, their wives and a great host of consecrated laymen and friends of the district for their most cooperative service and contributions to the work of the great church. Many thanks to you our worthy friends.

DISTRICT PROMOTION

It has been our opportunity and privilege to help promote two of the General Church Quadrennial; Programs. First, The Advance for Christ and His Church in the last quadrennial; and now the Local Church Emphasis and the Higher Education Emphasis for this quadrennial. Every charge of the district is studing the program materials of the Local Church Emphasis. Thus, we have twenty-two hundred and ninety-five booklets in the hands of the commissions members and several other members of the church. Accordingly, our churches are setting goals that will require much improvement in every phase of its life.

DISTRICT EVANGELISM

We have encouraged the evangelistic program of the church, by cooperating with the General Board of Evangelism. Under the leadership of Dr. D. W. Lester we were able to have an Evangelistic Coaching Conference and secure men from the General Board known as the Seventy Evangelist during the summer session of our work. As the results of the promotion of this evangelistic program; we are reporting that most of our churches have experienced a substantial increase in membership.

BUILDING AND IMPROVEMENTS

Several churches of the district have either built new buildings or remodeled their old buildings until today, we have only three churches that may be termed in poor condition. All others are in good or at least fair condition. During this period we have built five new churches. Two on the Elkins-Jonesville Charge, one at East Thomasville, one at Red Bank on the Oak Grove Charge, and one at Walnut Cove. Two new parsonages, one at Asheboro and one at Elkin. Outstanding remodeling jobs have been done at St. John in Thomasville, two on the Madison Charge, Hayes and Withers Chapel, St. Stephens at Lexington, Mt. Pleasant, St. Mark and St. Andrews as you have seen. Our Jones Temple Church is now debt free as soon as the necessary papers can be processed with the Board of Missions. Our Brooks Memorial Church has reduced its indebtness to only about seven thousand dollars, and our Sts. Home Church indebtness is reduced to about eleven thousand dollars. In all of our building and remodeling program our churches have taken care of their obligations both local and benevolence in a way that is really remarkable.

FINANCIAL STATUS

Our financial success has been progressive and encouraging as our reports will show. Six years ago our district raised for World Service just a little more than two thousand dollars. This year it will report nearly four thousand dollars for World Service. Six years ago we reported a

little better than seven hundred and fifty dollars for Pension. This year we will report nearly five thousand dollars for Pension. We have advocated in every charge a better support for our ministry. Thus most of our charges have had outstanding increases in pastor's salary. Brooks Memorial, Elkin-Jonesville Charge, Lexington-Midway, Asheboro, and St. John have all increased their pastor's salary by one thousand dollars or more. Several others have increased by two hundred to nine hundred dollars per charge during this same year.

CONFERENCES WORKSHOPS AND INSTITUTES

During our tenure on the district we held several workshops of Choirs, conducted by Dr. D. L. Rideout, we held also under the leadership of Dr. Rideout a Sub-District workshop of the organization of the Local Church in Methodism. Temperance workshops were conducted with much success by Brother W. S. McLeod, our Conference Chairman of Temperance. Many District and Sub-District Youth Institutes and Rallies were conducted by Brother Brooks our District Director of Youth Work. Thus the work of youth in the district is at an all-time high.

I cannot close this report without giving due credit to the Ministers' wives of the district and Laymen of the district for their support given these six years. The christian spirit the fellowship of working together have lifted the spiritual standard of the district and have been united in one great fellowship of love. Therefore we join in with the hymn writer and say: "Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in christian love. The fellowship of kindred mind, is like to that above."

Now in conclusion, Bishop Love, we are so very happy to express our deepest and most sincere gratitude to you for your kindness and brotherly love. May God's richest blessings forever shine upon you and your family. Many thanks to you, our priestly ministers, and to our devoted laity for your excellent support.

Respectfully submitted,

L. M. Mayfield, Retiring
District Superintendent of
the Winston District

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Bishop Love, Brother Ministers, Members of the Annual Conference, and Friends:

I am glad to report for another year in which we have witnessed the constant guidance and protection of the Holy Spirit.

The Ministers' families of the Greensboro District have passed through the year with only two or three families having any severe sickness. The Reverend J. H. Ledwell is still ill, with slight hopes of recovery. The Reverend R. W. Winchester, who is in the midst of a building program, was out for a while because of sickness, but possessed by a love for the cause and the ever presence of God, he has regained sufficient strength to continue to go forward.

Though it will be evident in the reports coming in from the Greensboro District, I must give credit where credit is due, and join the Ministers in saying that the reports are the results of the combined efforts of the more than three thousand Ministers and members of the Greensboro District. I am sure they would have me say further, that while we have not reached our goal, we have ever been mindful of the leadership of Him in whom we live, and move, and have our being.

Immediately after the Annual Conference last June, information began pouring in, and on through last winter we had the privilege of attending meetings which sought to inform us and secure our aid in furnishing leadership for each local church. We have been made to know that the

quadrennial emphasis on the local church is something practical and workable in each local church, regardless if its size. Wherever the plan is accepted and given a fair trial, success will be experienced in every area of church life. It is a movement that reaches the mass through its mastery of each individual.

In conducting the "Self Study" (and this was done on each charge), in many places results were witnessed which were before unthought of. One is grieved, however, to find a few who will not read, nor take the advantage of the other sources of information which the church offers. I do not know of a time in the history of the church when so much has been done to prepare and secure the aid of each individual.

I attended the church-wide meeting of Bishops, District Superintendents and other church leaders who were called to Chicago in February—and then a follow-up Area meeting called by our Bishop. I think one is safe in saying that the District Superintendents of the Baltimore Area are one in their determination to follow on as our Bishop leads the way under Divine guidance.

GROWTH IN MEMBERSHIP

In many places on the Greensboro District, there has been an increase in membership. It is needless to say that wherever there is a growth in membership, there has been, also, a similar Spiritual growth. Reports from the following ministers—Reverends Douglas Moore, Durham; J. W. Gwynn, Oxford; C. C. Armstrong, Browning Chapel; and W. S. Berry, Newport News—have had probably the largest increase in membership. The major district-wide effort, however, has been to bring back in line the careless and indifferent members. Those who have had success in recreating interest in their indifferent members are the ones who have given time and effort to setting up the recommended organizations in the local church. It is here that Reverends W. T. Brown, J. E. Brower, J. D. Ashford, F. D. Morehead, I. C. Spinks, G. H. Caldwell, J. H. Minor, Eugene Black and W. L. Napper have done their greatest work.

BUILDING AND REMODELING

Any rightful consideration of building, will necessitate a look at the past six years. In this, many of the ministers have surprised their own record. When I came to the district six years ago, Reverend W. E. Hairston was leading in the completion of Union Memorial Church, Greensboro, at a cost of around sixty thousand dollars; and he is now building on the foundation laid at Wesley Chapel, Reidsville, by the Reverend I. A. Friend, a church which will cost around thirty thousand dollars. Reverend W. N. Johnson, taking up where Reverend J. H. Minor left off, completed the church at Zion's Hill and renovated the church at Saint James. Reverend T. C. Tarpley renovated the church at Shady Grove, built a church at Randleman, and is now renovating Cox Chapel. Reverend J. W. Gwynn, in connection with taking care of the debt of nine thousand dollars which he found at Oxford, has built a parsonage which compares favorably with anything we have in the conference. Reverend C. A. Barrett and R. C. Sharpe share almost equally in the erection of a twenty thousand dollar church built at Durham. Reverend R. M. Martin, called in during the year to take charge of a church for the first time, built and completed a church at a cost of around twelve thousand dollars. Reverend W. R. Royster has renovated an educational building at Celia Phelps, Red Hill, and has paid off a debt of fourteen hundred dollars which he found at New Goshen. Reverend F. D. Caldwell has built an annex at Mount Carmel, and cleared the debt at Warren Street. Reverend C. L. Gidney, having his church almost completely wrecked by a storm, has been successful in replacing it at a cost of a little more than twenty-two thousand dollars. Reverend R. W. Winchester, at a time in his life when most folk give up,

has done probably the most spectacular thing of a lifetime: he has, within the past four years, with a membership of less than one hundred, completed a church at a cost of more than sixteen thousand dollars. Reverends J. W. Shuford, Beverly Brown and W. T. Lomax have busied themselves in taking care of debts which they inherited.

It is to the credit of the district that three lots are being secured on East Lee Street in Greensbboro, for a new church site and new congregation. Reverend Carter, employed by our Area to make surveys, has made the survey for this new project. His report will give a detailed description of the work being done.

DISTRICT STAFF

I have tried in every way to make the proper use of the district staff. We are, therefore, indebted to the staff for much of the success we have had on the district. Mr. C. M. Winchester with his associate leaders—Mr. David Morehead and Mr. Arthur Crump—have given their usual support to the total program. Prof. V. J. Caveness, Director of Stewardship, Mrs. Dorothy Jones, President of the Woman's Society of Christian Service—can be counted upon to play well their part at all times.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

Bennett College, Allen School and Gammon Theological Seminary, will probably receive greater support than at any time. The growing influence which these schools have on the conference, together with the emphasis on higher education, will do much to assist in reaching the dollar mark per member. The Wesley Foundation set up by Reverends W. T. Brown at A. and T. College and Douglas Moore at Durham, must come in next year for support by the conference. To date, we have done nothing in this, but I am sure you agree with me—the time is at hand for us to act.

Bishop Love, striving with the other District Superintendents of the North Carolina Conference to follow your leadership as you have blazed the way, and having had the unstinted support of the ministers and laymen of the Greensboro District, I have enjoyed some of the happiest—and I trust most fruitful—years of my ministry. Now, in that I come to the end of my time on the district, I shall go gladly and willingly wherever I am placed, with a determination and a prayer in my soul to give of my best, and seek His guidance in the whole of my life.

Mrs. Phelps has joined with me in every way possible to serve during our term on the district. We are, therefore, **one** in our expression of thanks and gratefulness for the privilege which has been ours to enjoy your fellowship as we have endeavored to share with each other His blessings so richly bestowed upon us. It will be ours now to join you in another capacity, as we shall be privileged to continue the work of Kingdom building.

Respectfully submitted,

G. M. Phelps

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

Bishop Love, Members and Friends, we humbly present our third Annual Report to the 99th Session of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church.

In our sick and tottering civilization where the old social order is dying and the new social order is struggling to be born, there are both death and birth pains in evidence on many fronts. Our individual and group salvation must be based on three things:

(1) Strengthening a vital faith in God through prayer and Bible reading, worship and Christian Education in the home and in the Church and practical Evangelism.

(2) Searching for truth to make us free—Jesus said, "Ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free."

(3) Establishing a steadfast faith in God that will enable us to live the abundant life sustaining the right relationship with all mankind through love to Christ and our neighbors. We must love our way into the hearts of all who need us and to those we are priviledged to meet and serve as all men need our Saviour.

The spiritual insight and motivation which comes from God through Jesus Christ our Lord, will undergird and fortify us for living and serving in times like these. Our hearts must be full of radiant and profound gratitude to our Heavenly Father for His providential care and achievements of the people of twenty-two pastoral charges on the Laurinburg District. The Lord has wonderfully blessed us this year with bountiful crops, and there is and has been work for those who wanted it. During the conference year, for the most part, the people have good crops started again this year. The outlook is very promising. The seasons thus far have been excellent for the crops.

Sickness and death have not visited our immediate ranks, yet, it has visited the homes of two of our pastors, through the demise of the mother-in-law of the Reverend J. L. Alfred and of the adopted daughter of the Reverend John McEachin.

The major activities of the Laurinburg District may be summarized under the following headings:

EVANGELISM

Believing that Salvation is the greatest human need and that the primary task of the Christian Church is redemptive and evangelistic, we have given evangelism priority in our District program. Therefore, we ordered for the churches on the district 302 Local Church Emphasis Booklets No. 1, A Better Record in Evangelism for our Church in Evangelism. We have further arranged for Dr. D. W. Lester to hold a coaching conference June 18th in order that our men will get some added help in techniques that may help them in aiding men and women to enter that richer experience in Christian Fellowship.

MISSIONARY ACTIVITIES

We have endeavored to develop the missionary spirit more fully to spread missionary information and to acquaint the churches with the causes, plans, literature, and the programs of the Board of Missions. The study books on the district are those recommended by the department. We have urged the commission on missions in the local churches to develop the missionary spirit and help to promote the Kingdom of God throughout the world by enlisting the active support of every member of the church in a study of the needs of the world in definite missionary service, and in regular contributions to the causes of missions and church extension. Despite some economic reverses, storms, hurricanes, and droughts, the God fearing and God loving men and women have nurtured a faith that will not shrink, though pressed by many a foe and they have gone steadily forward these three years. Our district has given larger support to the benevolent program of the Methodist Church this year. We have set as our goal for another year to reach by paying in full the World Service and Conference Benevolences. For this goal to become a reality on the District, we earnestly solicit your prayers.

EDUCATION

Advances have been made in the area of Christian Education. In addition to the District Youth Rally and Leadership School, workshops and one day meetings have been held at different times that have proved themselves to be very helpful. There was also placed into the local churches on the District, 1510 Local Church Emphasis Booklets, and at least one session of two hours of study and organization has been conducted in every church (but two) on the District by the Superintendent with no business exclusive of Christian Education. The interest was high to the end that many of the churches have asked for a second session in their church as they have not seen the interest and enthusism so high in many a-day, especially with the older people of the membership. They are desirous to study and learn the program of the church. It is evident that Christian Education has put strength into the muscles of our District. We are urging our ministers to teach with clarity, persuasiveness, and with power, and to make Christian Education a continuous process in the experiance of all persons. It is our plan to register at-least 150 young people in the District Leadership School in Laurinburg High School again this year, as we used that building last year with Reverend G. E. Hogue as the host pastor, and Mrs. L. B. Thompson as Dean of the school. It is our plan to have at least 30 in the Youth Assembly at Bennett College, July 1 to 5th. We are grateful for the splendid workshop on Alcohol directed by Reverend W. S. McLeod and the Reverend J. F. Sawyer as the district director. This was a most successful effort.

It was my great experience to witness one of the richest sessions on Christian Education at Mt. Olive Church in Lumberton May 26th. It was most revealing what God is doing with consecreated men, women, and young people. Some of the churches have very efficient commissions of education at work in their local churches and communities. We are hopeful that others will do likewise, realizing that one needs to know if they are to do.

FINANCE

We have labored to organize and activate the commission on finance and in every local church. With a commission on Christian Stewardship and Finance in every church, it ought to make systematic giving a regular practice and enable us to raise our claims with a greater degree of accuracy.

LOCAL CONCERNS

Some of the conditions under which some of our people are living and laboring are quite deplorable and especially the tenant farmers. Many of them are living on their next year's crops before Christmas. This will have to be handled with particular care and skill and a study is being made of some cases where we feel that we can get reliable help and information. At present I have no recommendations to make in this field and this mention is just to let you know that the church is concerned with the whole man, and when we are sure of our course, we will do something about it. We pray earnestly that our ministers will seek every opportunity to improve the economic conditions of our people. We should present to the local ministerial association or alliances the request to interceed through the improvement societies and Chamber of Commerce to give our young men and young women clerk jobs in the stores as we must become integrated in all phases of life before we can take our rightful places in this the **greatest land of opportunity.**

OPPORTUNITY FOR NEW CHURCHES

We do not have a church in the following towns—Kinston, Greenville, Jacksonville, Elizabethtown, Wadesboro, Wilson, Rocky Mount. All of these are good towns within the Laurinburg District, except Rocky Mount, which is just outside of our district.

Needs for New Churches where there are churches—**Fayetteville, Laurinburg, Beaver Dam and Maxton.** None of these congregation are able of themselves to build without the help of the Conference. I shall just speak on three emergency situations. First—**Fayetteville.** Certainly it is an old congregation and yet, the church is in a military area which is the fastest growing town in the state; with between 50,000 and 75,000 service men and their families. This has created an emergency for our church. The Methodist of the S. E. J. recognize this fact and in order that we may get a church, they are offering to raise and put into the building of that church $60,000 to $75,000 under one condition, that the General Board of National Missions will agree to a donation of $5,000 and a loan of $20,-000 for this project, if, and when the local white people raise the share of the money for a church to cost $100,000 or more. The Conference Board of Missions are asked to use its influence with the General Board to this end. **Galilee Church,** Laurinburg, N. C., is in very bad condition and may fall-in even before we can raise the money with the help of our friends to build a new church.

Beaver Dam Church is in such a bad state of condition we will not be able to worship there this winter. I have sighted several pitiful conditions. Well, why don't you help yourself? You may ask. You will recall that for two years of the three years, drought in our section, the farmers did not make expenses—then the next two years, we had six devastiating hurricanes. Now, when our area was declared by the U. S. Government as a disaster area and the Federal Government sent into our area millions of dollars, the land owners got the money and the tenant farmers, who are our members, suffered like others and received no help. May I again call to your attention, in spite of the facts stated with reference to the drought and hurricanes with death and destruction, our loyal people, God bless them for the sturdy Christian fortitude, they are showing an increase, each year in their benevolent giving. With some incouragement, I believe within the next three years we will equal any district in the conference. As an emergency measure, I am asking you, Bishop Love, and the members of the conference to do what you can to help us get a church in Fayetteville. I have talked at length and coming to the churches, since pastors and people have done so well, I do not feel it necessary to give a lengthy report on each church. I am deeply grateful to both pastors and people for your loyal support to the program of the Methodist Church.

CHURCHES

Charlotte: Simpson Memorial, C. E. Strickland, Pastor—This pastor and people are working together in a most harmonious way. They have purchased property at the cost of $47,500 and will move to their new location for their first service next Sunday, June 16, 1957. This has been their best year in many, many years.

Fairmont: Walter Davis, Pastor—Brother Davis has done a good job in acquainting his people with the program of the church and brings the best report since I have been on the District.

Fayetteville: John Wesley—R. B. McRae, Pastor. This pastor and people are working hard for a new church. They have raised over $8,000 this year. They have cleared the lot and are ready to build when the money is available. In this project, we earnestly solicit your sympathetic understanding and help.

Goldsboro: O. M. Graham, Pastor— Brother Graham and people are doing nicely.

Hamlet: M. McCallum, Pastor— Brother McCallum has done well at Hamlet. He went there six years ago and has worked out of that mountain of debts; and all debts have been paid. He deserves great commendation.

Hickory Bend: J. W. McRae, Sr., Pastor— Brother McRae has done his best to bring up a good report, and I think under the circumstances, he has done a good job.

John's Station and **Piney Grove:** J. H. McCallum, Pastor— This pastor and people are to be commended for the fine work done this year. The work was at a stand still when brother McCallum went back there this year. After three months the church and people were so different you would hardly believe they were the same. They really became transformed and you feel uplifted when you go there. They entertained the District Conference this year, and did an excellent job in this service.

Laurinburg, G. E. Hogue, Pastor—Brother Hogue has done well with these people and they are looking forward to a new church in the distant future. They have purchased a new site for their re-location, a tract of land consisting of 4½ acres. This is a very attractive place for the new church.

Laurinburg Ct.: Miles Murphy, Pastor— This congregation has done very well under the leadership of Brother Murphy. Brother Murphy is one of the young men who came into the conference last year and is doing nicely.

Lumberton: D. H. McLean, Pastor— This church has had a great year. It is the one church on the district that has a year round radio program. In fact, Brother McLean is the Lumberton pastor.

Maxton and **Beauty Spot:** J. W. Feree, Pastor— Through strenuous effort, Brother Feree is doing nicely, and they have a fine group of young people at both places. The Beauty Spot Church is expecting to complete the work on the church before winter.

Millers: W. M. Cooper, Pastor— Both Pastor and the people have worked under great handicaps this year. We are looking forward to a better year for 1957 and 1958.

Mt. Zion and **New Zion:** B. F. Gleaves, Pastor— Brother Gleaves has not been well this year. It has been quite difficult for him to carry on. We are hopeful of a better year on this charge with improved conditions.

Pembroke and **Southern Pines:** E. C. Campbell, Pastor. Brother Campbell has not been able to do all he had hoped we would get done on this charge this year.

Philadelphia: D. C. Skeens, Pastor. Under the leadership of brother Skeens, these people have purchased a nice three room school building and three acres of land. They are using this building for the educational work. It has added so much to the life of the community.

Red Springs: I. A. Friend, Pastor— These people and the pastor have had a great time together, this year. They have done a lot of community work. Brother Friend is the community pastor for Red Springs.

Rowland and **Salem:** J. F. Sawyer, Pastor— Brother Sawyer is going steadily, and the charge is doing nicely. This is the best year since this pastor has been there.

Saint Mark: John Monroe, Pastor— Brother Monroe has done a good job in this small church in gathering up the children and it looks like this small membership will be on the increase next year.

St. Peter: J. W. McRae, Jr., Pastor— Brother McRae has done the best he can there, and yet, we are still hopeful for this place.

Sanford Ct.: J. L. Alford, Pastor— Mt. Olive is an up and coming church and they are raising money for a new church. In fact, they would like to get started on the church before the close of the new conference year. Brother Alford has done a good job there and the folk want him back.

Bolton: E. M. McLeod, Pastor— Brother McLeod has done the best he could there this year, being so far from home. It appears that with a much shorter distance he will be better off and could give the work more supervision.

Wilmington: John S. Mills, Pastor— Brother Mills and his wife have been giving the work all they had and are hopeful of building a membership that will be self supporting in the near future. We abandoned the big church that we were in at conference. All this year they have worshipped in the recreation center of the Robert Jervay Homes. This has probably hindered the progress of the growth, not being in a church building. Earlier in this report I spoke of several towns were we have no work at all. There were others where we are at present and need churches. This is one of the needy places, and yet, it looks hopeless unless, and until the Board of Missions of the conference can organize and put on a fund raising campaign for new buildings. It will be well for the conference to seriously consider such a program, as the tenant farming sections will need special help, if we are to expand. I want to ask the conference support to Wilmington (Advance Special)

Hoffman: John MeEchain, Pastor— Hoffman has done well this year. They have struggled with a church debt and in view of the fact that this is a one Sunday a month place, only so much can be done. Brother McEachain is to be commended realizing that he lives a long way from the work and that they only have one Sunday a month.

FORWARD

And now Bishop Love and Brethren, again, I want to thank you for your patience in listening to the report of the Laurinburg Distict. In Closing, I give you these words:

Looking back over the Methodist achievements of the past we realize how great the debt of the present is to those who have gone before. Looking out upon the world in which we live we see doors of opportunity opening everywhere which none can shut although behind them lurks the adversary. "And looking within shall we see God's people willing in the day of God's power?"

An old epoch is closing. What may replace it no one with certainty can say. But we do know that "God has not deserted the world He created" and that "no cause is forlorn with Christ at its Head."

His Church it at an hour of decision. Shall we, like the Ephraimites "armed and carrying bows, turn back in the day of battle" or shall we join the company of those who "do not draw back, but march face forward."

We choose to go forward!

Let us therefore commit ourselves to Him who can do exceedingly abundant for us more than we can ask or think according to the power that worketh in us, unto whom be glory in the Church through Christ Jesus. world without end. Amen.

Respectfully Submited

R. C. Sharpe, Superintendent

WESTERN DISTRICT

Bishop Love, Ministers, Laymen and Friends of 99th Session of the North Carolina Annual Conference, Greetings!

Our second report as District Superintendent of the Western District is not merely a summary of achievements, during this eventful year, but an expression of thanks-thanks, first, to Almighty God for His sustaining grace and guidance for the completion of another year's work and to the faithful ministers and loyal laymen for the untiring labor and hearty cooperation in this first year of the Quadrennium.

Fortunately, death has not visited our ranks, and with few exceptions, everyone has been able to perform the regular services of his charge.

With the introduction of new methods and emphasis of the Church, it has been necessary for considerable planning and study in the implementations of the program of our great Church. It is abundantly clear that where this program has been followed, the local churches and charges will, by their reports to this Conference, show greatest achievements, in the various areas of service.

The Disciplinary requirements have been met in the holding of First and Fourth Quarterly Conferences on the several pastoral charges. However, my service has not been limited by the Law, but has had necessary extensions by additional meetings to get the job done.

Top among the media of study is the Kit Booklets and Self-Study Guide. Distribution of these have been made from the District Office and Publishing House. Many hours were spent across the District in presenting them, both in Quarterly Conferences and special meetings held for that purpose. However, the response to their use is less than satisfactory. Admittedly, it is rather difficult to study one's self, but we feel that it is highly rewarding.

The use of charts and audio-visual aids have also proven invaluable as we have traversed this widely despersed district.

Special mention should be made concerning the gains in membership, for the church cannot remain static and fulfill its mission in a confused and bewildered world, and a rapidly increasing world population. The ministers' reports will indicate these increases with a sense of humble pride. We boast of the fact that our recruitment for the ministry also exceed our former report a year ago. During the session of our District Conference, four young men were given licenses to preach. Three of these are in school or will enter this year to prepare themselves for Christian leadership. If the North Carolina Conference is to keep pace with the Methodist Church, we must never neglect this phase of the work.

High among the needs of our district is the replacement of many of our old and obsolete churches and parsonages with new ones. In this particular, not all of our dreams have come true; however, dreams never come true unless and until we wake up.

Scotts Chapel Church in Statesville is a concrete example of an awakening, for on a site near the old church, a beautiful, well-appointed brick sanctuary now stands. One minister said, as he looked at the new building, "I believe in miracles."

Sacrifices have been common-placed with the minister and loyal congregation of this church. They failed to see any sum of money they had to give to make possible this church. This project is complete to the most minute detail and completely equipped. It is easily the best appointed church for our people in that city. The pastor will report about twenty per cent increase in membership and all items of claims paid in full.

The cost of this church and equipment is more than $21,000.

This brief statement, by no means adequately tells the success story of Scotts Chapel. An excelent job has been done and we hope others will "Go and do thou likewise."

Sorry to say that this is the only completed project during the year, which was in the planning stage a year ago. However, Epworth Chapel, in Gastonia, was in the process of completing the Educational Unit when our last Annual Conference was held. This loyal congregation and minister raised considerable sums of money and made possible the grant from the Board of National Missions. This completed church is meeting the needs of this congregation and community in a remarkable manner.

Considerable sums of money are in building fund treasuries at Conover, Tuckers Grove, Motts Grove, Hunters Chapel, Galilee and Philadelphia at Stoney Point. McQueens Chapel at Conover has had the Ground-Breaking on the large and beautiful lot, purchased and paid for, to build a new church.

Within the next few months, the building should get underway.

Our building program has taken definite shape and there will be in the foreseeable future, other completed projects.

Neither time nor space will permit me to mention those churches and parsonages where improvements have been made or paid for during this year. Surely, we commend them for a job well done.

We are exceedingly happy to report that those churches having delinquent loans with the Board have had them rewritten and made current, and payments are being met promptly.

General and Conference Benevolences have caused us great concern. With an increase in World Service and the raising of the Reserve Pension Fund, we have put forth great effort and energy in meeting these objectives. A few charges have not done nearly as well as they should have. These however, are the exceptions and not the rule. More funds will be reported at this time than were reported this time last year.

We did not reach our goals, but we are not desirous of moving it nearer, but put forth greater effort, work a little harder in the attainment of them.

Taking a look at the great program of the Church, we have a mixture of emotions, admiration for a well devised program, but the distance between where we are and where we are challenged to go is not very encouraging.

By every means within our reach, we shall endeavor to go forward with the capable leadership of the Methodist Church, who believe that the answer to the perplexing problems of our day is God. With the full commitment of ourselves to Christ and His Church, the apparantly unattainable can be attained. Let us, in the name of our Lord, fellow-workers, march on 'til victory is won for all men.

Faithfully yours and His,

T. H. Wootten

MINISTERS' WIVES REPORT

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Mrs. W. S. Berry	$ 5.00	Mrs. J. W. Gwyn	45.00
Mrs. Eugene Black	30.00	Mrs. J. W. Hall	10.00
Mrs. J. E. Brower	100.00	Mrs. W. E. Hairston	5.00
Mrs. Beverly Brown	40.00	Mrs. M. M. Jones	5.00
Mrs. W. T. Brown	60.00	Mrs. W. N. Johnson	20.00
Mrs. F. D. Caldwell	181.00	Mrs. J. H. Laughlin	15.00
Mrs. G. H. Caldwell	40.00	Mrs. D. L. Laughlin	10.00
Mrs. C. L. Gidney	40.00	Mrs. W. T. Lomax	68.00

Mrs. R. M. Martin	10.00
Mrs. J. H. Minor	15.00
Mrs. F. D. Morehead	30.00
Mrs. A. S. Peace	5.00
Mrs. G. M. Phelps	225.00
Mrs. I. C. Spinks	22.00
Mrs. J. W. Shuford	50.00
Mrs. T. C. Tarpley	35.00
Mrs. R. W. Winchester	50.00
Reverend J. D. Ashford	22.00
Reverend W. L. Napper	44.00
Mrs. S. A. Peeler	25.00
Reverend	10.00
Total	1217.00

WINSTON DISTRICT

C. M. Mayfield, Chairman

Advance—Mrs. H. A. Smith	$ 80.00
Asheboro—Mrs. Maratha Bruwick	96.25
Elkin and Jonesville—Rev. Joseph Bethea	110.00
Brooks Memorial—Mrs. A. P. McLeod	80.00
St. Mark—Mrs. Ruth Patterson	80.00
Hoover's Chapel—Mrs. J. W. Jones	82.00
Lexington and Midway—Mrs. Ruth Brooks	80.00
Madison and Stoneville—Mrs. Marguerite Stewart	45.00
Mitchel—Mrs. Elizabeth Jones	50.50
Pilot Mt. and Mt. Airy—Mrs. Helen Cole	106.00
Oak Grove and Red Bank—Mrs. P. G. Carter	40.50
Boones Mill and Pen Hook—Mrs. C. G. Bynum	35.00
St. John—Mrs. W. J. Cameron	81.00
Trinity—Rev. James Campbell	19.60
Mt. Pleasant—Mrs. W. R. Crawford	109.00
St. Andrews—Mrs. Evelyn Phillips	80.00
Sts. Home—Mrs. R. F. McCallum	65.00
St. Paul—Mrs. W. C. L. Scarborough	80.00
Jones Temple—Mrs. Otto Withers	20.00
Zone 4 of the W. S. C. S.—Mrs. Cozette Belo, President	50.00
Personal Pledges—Mrs. C. M. Mayfield	80.00
Total	$1469.35

WESTERN DISTRICT

Mrs. L. A. Brown	$ 50.00
Mrs. S. B. McBrayer	50.00
Mrs. T. D. McCorkkle	15.00
Mrs. E. N. Mattison	32.00
Mrs. J. T. Jones	40.00
Mrs. R. D. Sharpe	105.00
Mrs. F. F. McCallum	15.00
Mrs. S. L. Townsend	105.00
Mrs. C. O. Hill	35.00
Mrs. D. S. Harkness	52.00
Mrs. G. W. Patterson	25.00
Mrs. B. J. Dula	20.00
Mrs. B. L. Burge	50.00
Mrs. M. S. Laughlin	30.00
Mrs. O. S. Devinport	10.00
Mrs. T. H. Wootten	57.00
Mrs. A. W. Stowe	52.00
Mrs. C. W. Bailey	55.00
Rev. R. H. McDowell	5.00
Mrs. Daisy Johnson	101.00
Mrs. J. Q. Dula	50.00
A Friend	2.50
Total	$956.00

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

Rev. R. C. Sharpe, District Superintendent

Mrs. H. L. Ashe	$ 5.00
Mrs. H. C. Gannaway	5.00
Mrs. John McEachin	5.00
Mrs. J. L. Alford	10.00
Mrs. B. F. Gleaves	10.00
Mrs. John Monroe	10.00
Mrs. D. C. Skeen	40.00
Mrs. Oscar Graham	15.00
Mrs. P. W. Webb	21.00
Mrs. J. W. Ferree	25.00
Mrs. J. H. McCallum	25.00
Mrs. J. W. Sawyer	25.00
Mrs. R. C. Sharpe	25.00
Mrs. M. M. McCallum	33.00
Mrs. C. E. Strickland	35.00
Mrs. R. B. McKee	40.00
Mrs. G. E. Hogue	50.00
Mrs. I. A. Friend	55.00
TOTAL	$404.00
Sent to treasurer, Rev. L. A. Brown	70.00
Given to treasurer during conference	334.00
	$404.00

Respectively submitted for Ministers' Wives,
Laurinburg District

RESOLUTIONS AND REPORTS

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE STATISTICS AND HISTORY

to the

North Carolina Annual Conference, Winston-Salem, N. C.

June 4-9, 1957

The organization of the Committee is as follows:

Chairman ..... Robert McRae
Secretary ..... G. Haven Caldwell
Assistant Secretary ..... Mrs. Gleaves

Your Committee proposes the following:

1. That the Centennial Celebration marking one hundred years of the existence of the North Carolina Conference be held at the time of the Annual Conference and at the seat of the Conference, in 1958.

2. That all sources for the history of the Conference be explored, including:
   (a) The Statistical Department of the Methodist Church,
   (b) All available copies of the Journals and records of the North Carolina Conference,
   (c) Consultation with the older members of the Conference, and with such laymen as may have resource materials of the Conference sessions and personnel.
   (d) Those living persons—like Bishops Jones and Shaw, Dr. Golden and others, who might shed light on the existence of the Conference.

3. That two sessions of the Conference in 1958—one afternoon and one evening service, be devoted to The Anniversary—one session for representations, addresses. etc. in a banquet; and one session in which a Pageant may be presented portraying in a visible form the organization and development of the Conference in its Centennial existence.

4. That we publish a brochure of sufficient size to carry pictures of as many of the Ministers and churches and official groups as may be secured, so arranged as to show the meager beginnings, the growth and development of the Conference in the manner of church buildings and parsonages in the Conference. That the price of this brochure be set at a cost that will pay for itself. They would be sold in all the churches of the Conference, and the procoeeds shall go to the financing of the entire Centennial project.
5. That the Annual Conferencc underwrite this brochure project at an amount not to exceed $600, from a special fund raised on the four districts of the Conference, and that this money be replaced in the treasury of the Conference, and the proceeds shall go to the financing of the
6. That to the sessions of this Annual Conference we invite a repesentative from each of the Conferences of the Central Jurisdiction, and representatives from such other Conferences as may show interest.
7. That this Committee on Statistics and History be enlarged by recommendation of the Cabinet, by the appointing of such persons as may be able to help assemble materials; help organize the materials; and help train personnel to present this Pageant in 1958.
8. That rehearsals for the Pageant be held in Greensboro—preferably at Bennett College—so that the proper setting may be had for the final presentation.

These recommendations are submitted by

YOUR COMMITTEE ON CONFERENCE STATISTICS AND HISTORY

THE REPORT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

Beginning June 10, 1957, and Ending near May 15, 1958

Bishop Love, your Commission on World Service and Finance of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church wishes to present its report for the coming Conference year. The Commission has considred sincerely and prayerfully, all requests, particularly where there has been request of increased budgets. We feel that it is in the interest of the Conference that items in our budget, where possible, without hinderance to work, remain the same.

Therefore the Commission recommends for your action and determination here and now, the following budgets for the Conference year beginning June 10, 1957 and ending near May 15, 1958—$31,161.00. In addition to the $31,161.00, the Commission also recommends the disciplinary amount of $1.30 (one dollar and thirty cents) per church member for Higher Education and the Wesley Foundation.

1. World Service General Administration and Annual Conference Benevolence $31,161.00
   (a) To be administered in the following apportionments:
      (1) World Service ..... $14,834.00 or 47.8%
      (2) General Administration ..... 531.00 or 1.9%
      (3) Jurisdictional Conference Expenses ..... 480.00 or 1.7%
      (4) Area Pastor's School ..... 800.00 or 2.8%
      (5) Interdenominational Co-operation ..... 421.00 or 1.4%

(6) Area Expense ..... 3,255.00 or 10.5%

(7) Annual Conference Benevolences ..... 10,200.00 or 33.9%

(b) That the Annual Conference Benevolences be administered as fololows:

(1) Home Mission Board (For promotional work and field Cultivation without the Conference ..... $ 6,500.00 or 62%

(2) Board of Education:
a. Executive Secretary Salary ..... 1,500.00 or 14%
b. Executive Secretary Expenses ..... 300.00 or 2.8%
c. Youth Assembly ..... 200.00 or 1.9%

(3) Board of Lay Activities ..... 125.00 or 1.2%

(4) Secretary and Statistician Exp. ..... 200.00 or 1.9%

(5) Home Mission Board Expenses ..... 175.00 or 1.7%

(6) Commission on Town and Country Work .. 200.00 or 1.9%

(7) Board of Evangelism ..... 125.00 or 1.2%

(8) Com. on World Serv. and Finance ..... 100.00 or .9%

(9) Commission on Peace ..... 100.00 or .9%

(10) Home Life Commission ..... 40.00 or .3%

(11) Board of Temperance ..... 125.00 or 1.2%

(12) Area Leadership School ..... 400.00 or 3.9%

(13) Methodist Television Ministry ..... 250.00 or 2.4%

(14) Board of Social & Ec. Relations ..... 100.00 or .9%

(15) Methodist Informational and Public Relations Commission ..... 100.00 or .9%

(c) That the Cabinet make the apportionments for the individual charges on the basis of the ratio that other apportionments are made.

(1) Treasurer's Expenses shall be 2% not to exceed five hundred dollars ($500.00) of all funds collected.

(2) That the District Superintendents receive a salary of $4,000.00 (Four thousand dollars) per year, travel expense items at $500.00 (Five hundred) and district parsonage rent at $600.00 (Six hundred); making a total of $5,100.00 (Fifty-one hundred), to be prorated to each charge.

(3) That the Episcopal Fund shall be an amount equal to two per cent (2%) of the Pastor's cash salary.

(4) That the Conference Claimants shall be an amount equal to fifteen per cent (15%) of the Pastor's cash salary.

(5) That each charge of the Conference observe the special days as required or set forth by the General Conference.

Report approved by the North Carolina Conference at its Ninety-Ninth Session, St. Andrews Methodist Church, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, entertaining June 5 through June 9, 1957.

J. E. Brower, Chairman

RESERVE PENSION FUND AMOUNT PAID IN 1956

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

G. M. Phelps	$100.00
Eugene Black	
W. T. Lomax	12.50
T. C. Tarpley	
D. E. Moore	15.00
F. D. Morehead	50.00
Clinton Armstrong	
J. W. Shuford	50.00
J. E. Brower	150.00
W. R. Royster	
W. T. Brown	100.00
F. D. Caldwell	30.00
W. N. Napper	25.00
G. H. Caldwell	50.00
J. D. Ashford	25.00
J. H. Minor	
W. S. Berry	
J. W. Gwyn	45.00
C. L. Gidney	30.00
I. C. Spinks	
Beverly Brown	50.00
W. N. Johnson	
R. M. Martin	
R. W. Winchester	50.00
W. E. Hairston	50.00

WESTERN DISTRICT

L. A. Brown	$100.00
S. B. McBrayer	12.50
T. D. McCorkle (pledge)	10.00
E. N. Mattison	
J. T. Jones	15.00
R. D. Sharpe	25.00
F. F. McCallum	
S. L. Townsend	50.00
C. O. Hill	
A. W. Stowe	50.00
D. S. Harkness	25.00
G. W. Patterson	15.00
Bert J. Dula	
B. L. Burge	10.00
J. Q. Dula	50.00
R. H. McDowell	
C. W. Mailey	25.00
O. S. Davenport	
M. S. Laughlin	13.00
A. E. Robinson	
T. H. Wootten	125.00

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

C. E. Strickland	$ 50.00
Walter Davis	10.00
R. B. McRae	
O. M. Graham	
Marshall McCallum	67.00
J. W. McRae, Sr.	
J. H. McCallum	50.00
G. E. Hogue	50.00
Miles Murphy	
J. W. Ferree	25.00
D. H. McLean	50.00
M. W. Cooper (pledge)	1.00.00
B. F. Gleaves	
E. C. Campbell	
D. C. Skeen (pledge)	100.00
I. A. Friend	50.00
J. F. Sawyer	
John Monroe	7.00
J. W. McRae, Jr.	
J. L. Alford	
E. M. McLeod	
John S. Mills	
John McEachin	

WINSTON DISTRICT

H. A. Smith	50.00
O. W. Burwick	100.00
Joseph B. Bethea	
W. S. McLeod	150.00
J. J. Patterson	25.00
G. A. Brooks	15.00
B. W. Stewart	
E. J. Jones	
W. P. Cole	
C. G. Bynum	
P. G. Carter	
L. B. Eldridge	
E. J. Jones	
J. W. Jones	25.00
B. J. Stewart	15.00
W. J. Cameron	
J. F. Campbell	
Otto Withers	
W. R. Crawford	
H. W. Phillips	50.00
R. F. McCallum	100.00
W. C. L. Scarborough	
L. M. Mayfield	100.00

TREASURER'S REPORT ON MAINTENANCE

for June 1, 1956-May 31, 1957

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Rev. W. T. Lomax, Brown Summit	$ 150.00
Rev. J. W. Shuford, Mt. Tabor	150.00
Rev. Douglas Moore, Durham	500.00
Rev. F. D. Caldwell, N. W. Greensboro	400.00
Rev. J. W. Gwyn, Oxford Ct.	250.00
Rev. W. S. Berry, Newport Ct.	700.00
Rev. R. W. Winchester, Summerfield Ct.	125.00
Rev. W. E. Hairston, Wesley & Chapel Hill	300.00
TOTAL	$2575.00

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

Rev. Oscar H. Graham, Goldsboro	$ 400.00
Rev. John S. Mills, Wilmington	1800.00
TOTAL	$2200.00

WESTERN DISTRICT

Rev. A. E. Robinson, Franklin	$ 150.00
Rev. J. T. Jones, Gastonia	400.00
Rev. B. L. Burge, Newton	200.00
TOTAL	$ 750.00

WINSTON DISTRICT

Rev. Joseph B. Bethea, Elkin	$ 482.32
Rev. W. J. Cameron, Thomasville, St. John	542.68
Rev. W. R. Crawford, Mt. Pleasant	150.00
Rev. John Jones, Hoover's Chapel	300.00
Rev. W. P. Cole, Mt. Airy	50.00
Rev. C. G. Bynum, Pembroke & Boone's Mill	275.00
TOTAL	$1800.00
GRAND TOTAL	$7325.00

TRUSTEES

Trustee Report for year June 10, 1956 to June 8, 1957

Balance brought forward	$ 1.89
Received of C. L. Gidney at Conf. 1956	57.00
Received of Marshal McCallum at Conf. 1956	50.00
Received of C. L. Gidney at Conf. 1957	71.00
Received of Marshall McCallum at Conf. 1957	30.00
TOTAL RECEIVED	$209.89

DISBURSEMENTS:

Commission for Collection	1.50
Balance on hand	$208.39

The Board is requesting that each District Superintendent make a list of all abandoned property belonging to or on his district early enough to be published for this year's journal.

G. E. Hogue, Chairman

FINANCIAL AND STATISICAL REPORT
BOARD OF PENSIONS

AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR 1957-58 DISTRIBUTION

Balance after 1956-57 Distribution	$ 2,768.95
Amount received from charges on apportionment	16,155.00
Amount received from Board of Pensions on apportionment	700.00
Amount received from Board of Pensions on Chartered Fund	80.00
Amount received from Methodist Publishing House	1,373.04
TOTAL	$21,076.99

PROSPECTIVE DISBURSEMENT

Due regular Claimants in this conference	$14,000.00
For Service in Other Conference	476.00
To Clearinghouse	901.00
Amount due Claimants retired this year	990.00
Payments due Special Conference Claimants	990 00
Transferred to Stabilization Fund	2,000.00
TOTAL	$14,357.00

Prospective Balance	$ 1,719.99
Permanent Fund Balance (5-24-57)	$32,494.52
Stabilization Fund (5-24-57)	$17,687.63
Transferred (6-6-57)	2,000.00
TOTAL	$19,687.63

Temporary Reserve Pension Funds (7-25-56)	$12,873.00
Reported this year (4-1-57)	$ 5,266.00
Reported at Conference	
Ministers' Wives	
Charges and Pledges	

REPORT ON THE COMMISSION ON TOWN AND COUNTRY

Bishop Edgar A. Love, members of the 99th Annual Conference, Greetings! Some months ago the Town and Country Commission met in Greensboro, at Bennett College with three superintendents present, and we worked out a two day Annual Conference on Town and Country work. We also had the chairman and secretary on Evangelism who promised to join us in these two day conferences. At that time we secured four delegates from the three districts, Winston, Greensboro, and Laurinburg, named by each Superintendent of the three districts. And later Rev. T. H. Wootten, who was absent sent in his delegates. But because we were short of funds, we deferred it until this coming conference year.

Along with this conference, we desire to have two workshops, one for the young adults, and one for the rural youth, with all the small towns represented.

We request that the District Superintendents organize in their first quarterly conferences a committee in every church on the Lord's Acre in every small town as well as the rural churches.

We also ask that they set up a committee in each charge or church, known as the Farm and Home Committee, to encourage our young married people to stay on the farm, and set up a business as well as buy and maintain a farm. We feel that too many of our young people are rushing from the farms and crowding the city areas too much to live in comfort, and lead the abundant life.

We further ask that the Annual Conference go on record in supporting these two days of Town and Country Conference, with workshops for both young adults and youth.

We feel that out of these two days of working together for the purpose of encouraging our farmers, to lead the Lord land, cattle, and other projects may be the means of starting a new spirit in rural church and home enterprise. We feel if this program of the Lord's acre, the Lord's hour wage, and hog, poultry, and other small projects will give the rural person a new status on the farm.

We know by other conferences and churches who are maintaining the program of the Lord's acre, along with many other projects, are able to build both churches and parsonages without much help from other sources.

We, therefore, request enough money to be set aside to make a trial of this program in this conference year.

Yours in abundant harvest.

G. E. Hogue

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM

Bishop Love and members of the N. C. Annual Conference, we are happy to be privileged to make this report to you at this time.

Our obligation and our opportunity have been constantly before us. There is no greater concern before the Christian church today than evangelism—the winning of souls to the Kingdom. The world is in a bitter struggle for life and personal liberty. The days of peace and spiritual concern are few and far between. We are a church of warm and enthusiastic heart. The fires have always burned on our hearths. The evangelistic messages of the Wesleys, the Whitfields, the Asburys, the Cokes, and hosts of others as they followed the pioneers wherever they landed strangely warmed the hearts and souls of these, and out of these developed great revival services whereby many souls were claimed for the Kingdom of God. These fires have been smoldering and buried among our ranks for a long time now, but it is high time that great religious campaigns were sweeping across the face of the church.

There are too many spiritually dead churches and members in our churches. It is our job to re-activate and enliven them. We are anxious to see in our conference every church become a spiritual dynamo. We must work more earnestly that every week might be considered a revival week in the church. The annual revival season is still with us, but they have lost their potency. We must go out as a church to re-capture these lost powers and harness them for the good of the church.

Our Board recommends:

That some type of family altar be set up in every home. The old slogan still holds, "Families that pray together will stay together." It is observed that our family life is rather broken and scattered. Too few families get to sit together for one meal a day or to attend church or religious services together. We call upon you to strengthen those broken ties.

That some type of devotional literature be a vital part of every family circle . . . the Upper Room is at the top of these. Methodism is the child of Evangelism. Unless we can in some manner have greater evangelistic concern and effort, thousands will be slipping between our fingers from us. The concern for others must deepen and not slacken among us. It

must not flicker out. In many communities where our churches once flourished, many of the churches have been discarded, abandoned, or sold out to Holiness. They are doing what we could not do. How long shall we halt between two opinions? We challenge you to go back into these communities with evangelistic messages and bands and re-claim them for the church.

That everywhere prayer bands and cottage meetings be reestablished. The great trouble with us is that instead of holding prayer bands and study groups, we are holding gossip meetings. We are killing our churches by undue adverse publicity. The people in the streets have all the news in our church from our own members. Let us carry our church to God in prayer.

C. A. Barrett, writing the report
Beverly Brown
Johnny Jones

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC RELATIONS

Bishop Love and Members of the Conference, the Board of Social and Economic Relations submits the following report. We give God praise and thanks for his love toward us this year. We thank God for all improvements in human relations over the past year.

The report of the Board this year is in the form of recommendations growing out of the meeting of Conference Board Chairmen in Chicago in March of this year. The recommendations and proposals are as follows:

I.

(Purpose and Functions of the Annual Conference Board of Social and Economic Relations)

1. The Board must first prepare itself for work in its field through study and research, to gain an understanding of social forces, the problems of human need which they create, and the possible solutions to these problems;

2. Then it must educate and inform the members of the churches of its province about these problems, and awaken in them the sensitivity of Christian conscience which will respond with concern and action;

3. Futhermore, it must so inform and train the people of the church that they may study and explore these problems individually and together, drawing the ethical implications from daily events, and applying Christian solutions wherever possible.

4. Since we live in a world of group pressures, and are too often their victims, the Board must seek to mobilize and motivate the churches to work together as a unfied body to achieve its goals and defend its rights.

5. Between sessions of the Annual Conference, the Board should speak and act in behalf of the Conference (wherever authorized) in incidents of crisis or opportunity.

II.
(The Area of our concern)

The Board of Social and Economic Relations is primarily concerned with human need and suffering, injustice, and inequality, exploitation and infringement, resulting from the faults or malfunctions of our domestic social institutions, and susceptible to solution or improvement through the use of social processes. Some typical areas of this kind are:

1. Brotherhood and Race Relations
2. Citizenship and Civic Affairs
3. Civil Rights and Religious Liberties
4. Economic Life and Industrial Relations
5. Public Morals
6. Famly Life and Welfare
7. Social Health and Welfare
8. Rural Consevation and Agriculture
9. Ethics in the Church

The Conference Board in cooperation with the General Board of Social and Economic Reations is asking that a representative from the Woman's Society of Christian Service be placed on the Board of Social and Economic Relations, particularly the secretary of Christian Social Relations. The Board also urges the District Superintendents to organize on their districts Boards of Social and Economic Relations. The Board further urges every local church to elect the optional fifth commission, Social Concerns. And in keeping with the current trend in the General Board, we urge the Conference to combine the efforts of the Board of Social and Economic Relations, the Board of Temperance and the Board of World Peace. We believe such a move would strengthen the work of the Conference in the total area of Christian human relations. The Board plans a conference on Christian Social Relations on every district next year.

Yours respectfully,

J. T. Jones
Douglas E. Moore
(Mrs.) Daisy Moore
R. B. McRae
O. W. Burwick
W. T. Brown
(Miss) Winifred M. Wiesley

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF WORLD PEACE

Introduction: Bishop Love and members of the North Carolina Conference of the Central Jurisdiction of the Methodist Church, your Board of World Peace wishes to submit the following report:

BRIGHT SPOTS IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS THIS YEAR

One bright spot in international relations this year was the way the United Nations acted during the Suez Crisis. We are thankful that the United Nations acted in such a strong way concerning this crisis, clearing

the canal, establishing a small military force, and pursuading the three nations to withdraw their armed forces. We believe that an emergency police force should be made permanent and enlarged.

Another bright spot was the unanimous approval of the establishment of an International Atomic Energy Agency by the Eleventh General Assembly of the United Nations.

Still another bright spot in international relations this year was the birth of the independent state of Ghana in Africa. Ghana was formerly a British colony. It is now a member of the British Commonwealth of Nations. Thus, another mighty blow has been struck at colonialism.

Still another bright spot of international signficance this year was the recent signing of a statement by two thousand American scientists asking for international agreement to stop testing nuclear bombs. We quote the following excerpts from this statement:

"Each added amount of radiation causes damage to the health of human beings all over the world . . ."

"As scientists we have knowledge of the dangers involved and therefore a special responsibility to make those dangers known."

DISARMAMENT

Disarmament is a very important issue to churchmen in 1957. The trend toward more arms must cease and the trend toward disarmament must start. President Eisenhower is said to be anxious to work out some first steps at the meeting now being held in London so that he may submit the proposal to the Senate in the non-election year of 1957.

During the last 12 years the gap between the East and West on disarmament has been narrowing. Whereas in 1946 the United States favored the Baruch Plan for the international control of atomic energy, we have now given up that idea. Whereas in 1948 Russia wanted the abolition of atomic bombs as the first step, it has now given that idea up. The proposal of the United States that there should be a ceiling on men in uniform (1,500,000 for Russia, United States, and China) has been accepted by Russia. President Eisenhower's proposal for aerial inspection has been accepted for a 1,000 mile strip along the iron curtain. Russia asks for inspection teams to be stationed in all transportation and military centers.

Some people question the sincerity of Russia in disarmament. We believe that there is sincerity on Russia's part. For more than 50 years Russia has talked disarmament and made proposals. The first modern disarmament conference was called by the Czar in 1899. Russians have made proposals when under the Czar and when under the Communists, when they were weak in the twenties and when they were strong in the fifties. They have made six proposals in the last several years. So much talk points to some sincerity.

Moreover, we believe that from the point of view of their own security, communist leaders would like to send men in uniform back to farms and factories in order to produce more food and consumer goods. We believe that basic communist strategy is not to conquer the world by weapons and bombs, but to propagandize, infiltrate, and initiate revolutions from within. For such methods they do not need bombers and bombs, battleships, and missiles.

Are American churchmen sincere about disarmament? Do all of us want it? Will we support the hand of our President when he lays a proposal before the Senate, or will we listen to the demagogues who may arise and cry out about patriotism, the duplicity of communists, and the need for preparedness? How will men who are working in plants making war materials think about it? How will persons in veterans' organizations think about it? By study and prayer, let us prepare ourselves in the church for a struggle concerning this issue.

Disarmament is related to our relations with the People's Republic of China (Communist China), for this is a nation of 500,000,000 people which in the future will have great economic and military strength. We have no diplomatic relations with this China; she is not in the U. N. Do we not expect her to participate in the disarmament program? It would be foolish not to include her! If we want her cooperation in disarmament or other programs affecting the whole world, we must have diplomatic relations with her and work with her in the United Nations. Recognition of a nation does not imply approval of all that she does (we recognize Spain), but it does mean that we know that she exists and that we are willing to negotiate with her.

Our goal in disarmament is a world which is bound together by law and limited world government, in which all nations are radically disarmed and the only military strength of any consequence is lodged in world authority, a strengthened United Nations.

Respectfully submitted,
Your Board of World Peace

W. T. Brown, President
D. E. Moore, Secretary
J. Q. Dula
J. T. Jones
A. B. Reynolds
C. A. Brown
E. M. Towns
D. S. Harkness
Paul Williams
A. W. Stowe
J. E. McCallum
Geneva Holmes

REPORT OF THE CONFERENCE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Bishop Love and members of the Conference:

We have just reached the end of our first year's work. It has been a challenging and rivaling task. It has offered much to each of us as we have worked tirelessly at the job.

Having been organized at the last annual Conference, we began to meet regularly and promptly with very good attendance. Every member was alert and anxious to get the job done and well done.

Our first effort was to study the work of the Board, see its scope and its future. We were all concerned about the requirements that would be expected of the Board. Many resources were available for our uses. We set ourselves to the task and took no holiday.

In our study we found our Conference weak in most aspects of Christian Education. The various divisions—youth, adult, and children—had been woefully neglected. We had lost ground. This is no reflection on the former Board nor the workers. They did a good job with what they had to use. The fields had not been cultivated for lack of funds and workers. The church is now feeling the results. It has been several years since a conference wide assembly of youth, adults, or children for study and consecration. There have been no funds alloted for such work. The various districts have made efforts with varying degrees of success in district

training. The weak spots are showing their ugly heads all over the conference, and throughout the church. There have been so few, if any, young people going into Christian vocations from our ranks. Our linese of Christian workers are thinning out. What shall we do now? Where shall we go from here? Are we going to continue to go on half-hearted at this all-important task, or shall we awaken and arouse ourselves from lethargy and give ourselves diligently to the work?

Rise up, O men of God
Have done with lesser things
Give heart and mind and soul and strength
To serve the King of Kings . . .

Our workers have been patient and hopeful. Shall the shadows completely dim their visions? They have had no funds with which to carry on. They could not meet the demands. We have demanded of them to make brick without straw. We have laid on the heavy loads. In an educational manner, we are merely playing Education.

We have secured one of the very best trained young men as Executive Secretary and then for lack of funds tied him to full-time church pastorage. He is trying to ride two horses at the same time in different directions. It cannot be done. We need to give adequate support to the Secretary and then we demand of him a well done job.

Thanks to the Conference leaders. As we met and planned for a Conference-wide Youth Assembly to meet at Bennett College in July, the Conference leaders agreed to underwrite our costs. Now the Assembly is assured, with the help of Bennett College. Our Treasurer reports that there has been but a meager offering coming from the **Rally Day** askings.

WESLEY FOUNDATIONS

A Foundation has been set up on the campus of A and T College in Greensboro under the guidance and direction of Rev. W. T. Brown. A Foundation is in the making on the campus of North Carolina College in Durham under the direction of Rev. Douglas Moore, Conference Executive Secretary. It is the hope and plan of the Board to have on each state or private school campus within our Conference such an organization.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That a Youth Rally be held annually and such other assemblies as may be associated therewith—

That the Conference go on record as giving hearty and enthusiastic support of the General Conference with emphasis on higher education in our conference work, this as a special emphasis of the work of our Conference Board of Education—

That the Conference go on record as giving its moral and financial support to the work of Youth Assemblies—

That Sunday, September 29th be set as Church School Rally Day—

That provisions be made for our Board of Education Conference-wide workers funds be allocated for this purpose—

As we face the new year, it is with joy and hope. We are ready to meet the challenge, and with your interest and support, the victory will be ours.

Yours sincerely,

President, Conference Board of Education

REPORT OF THE AREA ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY 1957

Bishop Love and Members of the Conference:

We have distributed for your review—for I am sure you have previously read it—the October, 1956 issue of THE MESSENGER, which contains the reports and actions of the Area Council of 1956, held in Union Memorial Church, Baltimore, October 9th to 11th.

If you will refer to my report, beginning on page four of this issue, you will find a summary of the financial operations of the Area office for the years 1953, 1954, and 1955. In previous reports to the annual conferences, I have tried to outline my activities as clearly as possible. I have said that it is difficult to give an accurate picture of my responsibilities, because of their variety and intimate association with office routine.

As the bishop's administrative assistant, I am required, because of his prolonged absences from his desk, to direct the affairs of the office. In a general sense, of course, I am expected to promote the work of the General Church in the four conferences of the Area—the Deleware, the East Tennessee, the North Carolina, and the Washington Conferences. Many pastors seem to have some difficulty remembering this, however, for I have been introduced in devious ways, such as "area secretary of the Washington Conference," or "secretary to the bishop of the Delaware and Washington Conferences," or even more confusingly as the "area secretary for the Central Jurisdictional Conference."

THE MESSENGER

Our Area paper, THE MESSENGER, is our chief medium of promotion, and as such, is sent automatically to pastors throughout the Area each month. We would like to urge pastors, however, as well as laymen, to be **paid** subscribers. We are reasonably proud of our little paper just as it is, but it could be infinitely better than it now is with better financial support. We desperately need paid-in-advance subscribtions. We believe that a minimum of five from each charge is certainly an attainable goal.

You will note, from my Area Council report, that we have had to subsidize THE MESSENGER each year to an extent well in excess of one thousand dollars. We have a promotional plan which we hope will greatly decrease this year's required subsidy. We thus estimate a subsidy of only $600 this year.

Pastors, please be subscription agents for us in your parishes! Please let us hear from you frequently—with paid subscriptions!

DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS

Our contact with district superintendents of the Area has been our secondary medium of promotion. All eighteen of them have been most cooperative in spirit and most responsive to suggestions and directions. I am usually able to visit in each annual conference several times each year, on various missions.

Last July 7-9, a most helpful and spiritually enriching retreat for district superintendents, conference executive secretaries, treasurers, secretaries, lay leaders, and Woman's Society presidents was held at the Morgan Christian Center, Baltimore. On March 5-7 of this year, in cooperation with the General Board of Education, Nashville, a seminar for district superintendents and executive secretaries was held at Sharp Street Church, Baltimore. We financed completely the first effort, and bore the larger share of the financial obligation of the latter.

GRACE CHURCH, CHATTANOOGA

We have given what support we could—from a distance—to the establishment of a new church congregation in the Alton Park section of Chattanooga, Tennessee, and in the subsequent acquisition of a very fine property for this group. The church, to be named **Grace Church**, is the first new church to be organized in this growing city among Negro Methodists in forty years.

DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH AND SURVEYS

I would like to call attention to a recommendation made in my report to the Area Council, which you will find on page five of the October, 1956, MESSENGER.

(I would like to say, parenthetically, that the Area Council is not a legislative body. It cannot order the Annual Conferences what to do. It can only recommend, and these recommendations are passed on to the Annual Conferences for consideration.)

The recommendation in question is that the Reverend Samuel M. Carter, who for several years has sesrved the Washington Conference most effectively as director of research and surveys, be employed to serve the entire Area in this capacity. The need for a competent person in such an office is a very great urgency, in view of expanding populations in our cities and and the obvious need in many instances of establishing new churches in our urban areas, as well as larger parishes in our rural centers. Scientific study of population trends and the migratory habits of our people is needed that we may prepare the church to serve them adequately.

I recommend that this conference approve the Area Council action. The salary of the area director of research and surveys is provided for in the slight increase in Area Expense in the recommendation of your Commission on World Service and Finance.

QUADRENNIAL GOALS

Believing that the members of our local churches will produce more for Kingdom growth evangelistically and socially as well as financially, if their annual goals and achievements are set before them visibly, we have had printed for distribution by the district superintendents, a quadrennial "Goals and Achievements" chart. A chart is available for each local church in the Area. It is a self-evaluation poster, on which the church is to list at the beginning of each year its goals, and at the close of each year its achievements. We urge faithful use of this chart, that it may serve as an incentive to our people to advance yearly "for Christ and His Church."

OUR STATION WAGON

Through the good graces of the National Division of the Board of Missions, a new Chevrolet station wagon has been purchased for use in the larger parishes of the Area. The wagon, delivered to us recently, has been assigned to the Lexington Larger Parish, in the Washington Conference. We plan to share it equally with all larger parishes in the Area that may wish to make profitable use of it.

THE RURAL MINISTRY

This leads me to the observation that, as I travel through the Area and study the needs of our conferences, I am fully persuaded that none is greater than that of improved rural churches, with dedicated pastors who love the country and will be happy to stay there, if need be. Our small rural churches are served too often by men who all the while have their

eyes set steadfastly toward the city church. This is an honorable objective, if an unselfish one, but surely there must be more men who will love the country and who will want to live in it; who will have specialized training for the rural ministry, and who will love country people and want to serve them.

We must dignify and glorify the country and the privileges and rewards of the rural ministry. These people are the backbone of the nation. Their churches should be as beautiful and as well kept as the city churches. Their programs should be challenging, geared to meet their needs and to answer their problems. They should be served by some of our strongest minds and noblest spirits. Let us remove forever the stamp of inferiority from the rural church and the rural pastor. Let them no longer be stigmatized as second, third, or fourth class churches and preachers, unless, like some of our city churches, they choose to do nothing and refuse to go forward.

CONCLUSION

In conclusion, I wish to thank the pastors and laymen (and certainly the district superintendents) for their continued cooperation and personal kindnesses to me in my relations with them. As usual, I express my appreciation to Bishop ove, with whom I am privileged to work so closely as I am. I quote from my Area Council report, in the issue before you:

"I cannot say too often, either, that we have in him a great leader and a great man—and in that combination we have 'a consummation devoutly to be wished.' Many great leaders of history have broken down on the inside when the temptation was greatest or the crisis was most grave. But the **great man** never does. And we have seen Edgar Love hold together when most misunderstood, and love when most bitterly opposed, and keep silent when most unkindly attacked. Such is the measure of greatness."

It is a privilege and an honor to serve you. My only desire is to do that well—to love the brethren and to serve faithfully my Lord, proving a workman "who has no need to be ashamed."

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel Lyman Ridout

DEPARTMENT OF RESEARCH AND SURVEY
Baltimore Area, Methodist Church

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Dear Bishop and Conference of the Area:

It falls my lot to render my first report as Area Director of Research and Surveys to the four Conferences of the Baltimore Area. This office was made Area-wide during the 1956 session of the Area Council, meeting at Union Memorial Methodist Church, Baltimore, October 9-11, 1956. This confirmed the action of the 1955 session of the Area Council which created the office, but made no financial provision for its operation.

FIELD SERVICE

The Greensboro District, through its district Superintendent, Dr. G. M. Phelps, secured the services of this office to establish the need for a Methodist Church in a newly annexed section of the city of Greensboro. In a section in which no church is operating, a corner site, of three lots, 100X150 each, at the intersection of Ardmore Drive and Lee Street, was

purchased by District funds for a new church. The interest and cooperation of Dr. D. R. Fletcher and the Division of National Missions has been secured and promised. During the week of April 28, 1957, a survey and study of the area and site was made. With the help of Mrs. Smith and four young women from Bennett College, a religious census was taken. The results show at least 250 prospective families for a new congregation. We need more superintendents like Brother Phelps to push the progress of Church extension in new areas. We regret to say that we had no calls from the Deleware Conference during this year, but we are scheduled to go to the Salisbury District shortly after the Conference year begins.

ADDITIONAL SERVICES

In this field of services I have been called to serve and work with civic, social agencies and federated church groups. During this year I have served as follows:

1. Member of Department of Urban Work, National Council of Churches of Christ.
2. Member of Department of Town and Country Work, National Council of Churches.
3. Member of the Board of Missions of the Washington Conference.
4. Member of the Commission on Comity Council of Churches for Maryland and Delaware.
5. Member of the Commission on Comity and Church Planning, Washington Federation of Churches, Washington, D. C.
6. Member of the Northwest Inter-agency Committee of Baltimore.
7. Board of Directors of Baltimore Branch NAACP.

On March 5th, 1957, I was appointed as one of the Technical Consultants to the Department of Research and Surveys of the Division of National Missions by Dr. Roy A. Sturm, Director. I have since learned that Bishop Love played a large part in this appointment.

REFLECTIONS

1. Urban Work: Some of the greatest cities in America, or for that part, in the world are found within the bounds of the Baltimore Area, New York—second city of the world, and first city of the Nation; Washington, D. C., Capital of our nation, and the financial and sometime political captital of the world; Philadelphia, third city in the nation; Baltimore second seaport of the nation; Pittsburgh, the nation's steel capital; Richmond, Winston-Salem, great tobacco marts; and Chattanooga in the foothills of the Cumberland Mountains. In spite of their differences, they have one thing in common, in that they are all experiencing population growth. The growing of these cities has taxed the minds and attentions of city planners and church administrators alike. We are faced with the task of remaking these old cities meet the needs of the 20th Century living. The age of the stage coach, ox cart and Conostoga wagon is gone. The age of the atom, automobile and jet plane is upon us. Mutiple housing is fast replacing the one-family house. "The Call of the Wild" has been replaced by the "Call of the City." Urban renewal and Redevelopment is in progress from New York to Chattanooga.

The City has become a mission field of great importance. My concern is, how prepared are we in these four Conferences of Methodism to serve adequately this "Present Age." We shall need to keep abreast with urban changes and have the message and program of the Kingdom for the people. Dr. Frederick A. Shippey in his book, "Church Work in the City," warns us that American Protestantism is in danger of losing the cities because we have not studied the city. In some cities the cults are eating us up. In many instances we have started little new work and have gotten into a rut in some of the established churches.

The City Church can no longer become a Sunday institution. We are challenged by the large youth and young adults populations in our urban communities. The rising tide of divorce, crime, creeping slums and juvenile deliquency is a challenge to church as well as social agency. I ask you, how prepared are we to serve our church plants, preaching and pastoral ministry, lay activities, programs of Christian education and week day programs? What does your Conference, District and local Church reports show? What say ye Committee on Urban Life?

RURAL WORK

There are some people who will never leave the farms and open country. These too, must Methodism serve. Much of the territory in the Baltimore Area is rural. The changes of the 20th Century has struck the farm also. The tractor has succeeded the plow; the corn harvester has supplanted the husking bee and dirt farming has been followed by scientific farming. Smaller rural populations have brought these new farm inventions to take the place of so much manpower.

Yet in so many instances the rural church is still in operation in one room, one day a week. The little, weak, one-room District School has been taken over by the modern, up to date consolidated school, with modern equipment and facilities, along with a well trained staff of teachers. The old teacher who was just one step ahead of her pupils has been ousted by the teachers college graduate.

Many of our rural parishes could be consolidated into larger parishes or group ministries, with a trained pastor and staff. If we could turn from serving the dead in the cemeteries to serving the living down the road, we would do better.

Greater cooperation is needed between the Conference Commissions on Town and Country Work, the Conference Boards of Missions and our Cabinets, to effect better service and programs for our rural areas.

TO OUR CONFERENCE BOARDS OF MISSIONS

More and more you will have to assume the larger share of the program of Church extension within the bounds of your Conferences. We cannot depend as much on the Division of National Missions as we have in the past. They are urging us to develop our own resources as much as possible. I know this is a great change from having an all day meeting just to plan how we will distribute maintanance money to poor charges. Far too long we have neglected the full injunction of the Discipline regarding the full work of a Conference Mission Board and settled for the "Maintanance Rut." When relocation problems arose and needs for additional parish services came, we wrote Philadelphia and hoped the money would be forthcoming. We seemed to feel that the Division of National Missions was a cross-hybrid creature with the nature of a fairy godmother, King Midas and Santa Claus combined.

So I ask you at your next Annual Meeting to study Paragraphs 1295 to 1307 in the 1956 Discipline and see what a Conference Board of Missions should be doing, and, then let us go and do likewise.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

Because no man is an island, I must confess that what little I have done, was made possible because of the cooperation and kindness of others. It would be impossible to name all. Any who may be omitted in this list is not because of ingratitude but oversight. May, then I thank the following persons and agencies for their cooperation.

1. Bishop Edgar A. Love, Dr. D. L. Ridout and Area Office Staff.

2. To the District SSuperintendents of the Conference for your cooperation.

3. To the following persons on the staff of the Division of National Missions:
   a. Dr. Roy A. Sturm, Director of Reasearch and Surveys for materials and special appointment
   b. Dr. Charles F. Golden, Director of Special Activities for his cooperation with this office.
4. To the several departments of the National Council of Churches for materials and assistance in the work.
5. To the Councils of Social Agencies, Social Workers and Administrators in the Field of Social Work within the Area for materials, guidance and assistance while working in their communities.
6. To the following agencies of U. S. Government for materials, personal guidance, and interviews:
   a. Bureau of Census, U. S. Department of Labor
   b. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Women's Bureau
   c. U. S. Children's Bureau
   d. National Department of Vital Statistics
   e. U. S. Department Health, Education and Welfare
7. The Planning Commissions, Zoning Boards. Housing Administration and Urban Renewal Agencies of all cooperating cities.
8. To the U. S. Chamber of Commerce and Local Chambers of Commerce in the Area.

And all other ministers, laymen and kind friends who have made this office a pleasure to serve.

May I ask in closing, that all of the Conferences in the Area make fuller use of this office for the Conference year of 1957-58. May the Eternal continue to bless and keep you and cause His face to shine upon you, now and ever more.

Respectfully submitted,

Samuel M. Carter,
Director of Research and Surveys
Baltimore Area

CONFERENCE LAY LEADER'S REPORT

Bishop Love, District Superintendents, Ministers and Lay Delegates to the Ninety-Ninth session of the North Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Church, and Christian Friends, greetings.

As chairman of your Board of Lay Activities, I submit the following report: I wish to take this opportunity to express my profound and genuine thanks to Bishop Love, the District Superintendents, ministers and members of the Conference Board of Lay Activities and the loyal laymen throughout the conference for your cooperation and encouragement, to make this report possible.

On July 22, 1956 your Conference Board held a Lay Retreat at St. Paul Methodist Church in Newton, N. C. There was a representative number of laymen in attendance from all the districts. They came for the purpose of learning more about the total program of the Methodist Church and our Discussion Leaders were prepared and had dedicated themselves to the task of emphasizing this program.

Christian Stewardship and the Retired Ministers' Fund were discussed by Mr. C. M. Winchester and Atty. R. C. Erwin. These discussions were spiritually stimulating and profitable. Personal testimonies of the laymen in attendance expressed how much the discussions helped them in becoming better prepared to preform their duties to the local church. I have seen the laymen in our conference manifest a genuine interest in the total program of the local churches and show a concern for them as has been evidenced here at this Annual Conference in the reports of the District Superintendents.

I have gone on invitation of the District Superintendents and Lay Leaders to several of the churches on the districts and have emphasized the importance of supporting the Retired Ministers' Pension Fund and the Stewardship emphasis. I have conducted the installation of officers of Methodist Men's Clubs and the presentation of charters. With God's help we plan to do more this quadrennium.

GOALS FOR 1957-58

1. A meeting of the Conference Board of Lay Activities
2. A Lay Retreat during the conference year
3. Each District Board of Lay Activities observe an annual Layman's Day Anniversary.
4. A correct list of names and addresses of church lay leaders
5. All Methodist Men's clubs renew charters annually
6. Organize and charter new clubs on each district until each church has an arganization.
7. Encourage new subscriptions to the Methodist Layman
8. Plan observance of Laymen's day in all churches.
9. Encourage all church lay leaders and officers of Methodist Men's Clubs to tithe.

Respectfully submitted,

Alvin L. Morrison

COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTIONS

It is with a sense of deepest gratitude that we give thanks to Almighty God for having spared us another chance to give an account of our stewardship

Methodism in the Old North State has been greatly lifted to a plane of perpetual sunshine in a state of contentment. This comes about because of the genuine leadership of our own Bishop Edgar A. Love, resident Bishop of the Baltimore Area.

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to each speaker who appeared on the program.

We are sincerely grateful to our Heavenly Father for the privilege of assembling in this great industrial city, Winston-Salem, and in this beautifully decorated sanctuary of St. Andrews Methodist Church to hold our ninety-ninth session of the Annual Conferece. We heartily commend the Rev. H. W. Phillips, host Pastor and the Rev. L. M. Mayfield, host District Superintendent, and the members and friends who have made our stay here such a pleasant one.

Commendation is also due the officers of the Conference, the District Superintendent, and representatives of the various Boards, the religious leaders, and the civic leaders of Winston-Salem.

Through the fellowship of the Holy Communion which was so reverent, so impressive, one could not help but feel the presence of the Holy Spirit.

We wish to thank our Heavenly Father for those men who have joined our ranks as ministers. May God go with them as they carry His word to the hungry world.

To the Rev. Burge, even though he is retiring, may he continue to help build God's Kingdom among men.

May we re-affirm our allegiance to Almighty God, and to the power of His Son, Jesus Christ, to the end, that the Kingdom of this world may become the dwelling place of Eternal God.

The Committee,

C. L. Gidney, Chairman

RESOLUTIONS OF BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES

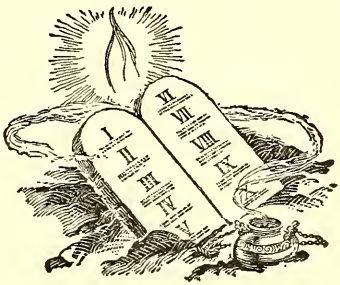
Whereas there is a great need for church extension in the North Carolina Conference;

Whereas there are no adequate funds available for this purpose;

Whereas the Board of Lay activities of the North Carolina Conference feels that affirmative action should now be taken;

Now, therefore, be it resolved:

1. That the North Carolina Conference form an organization to wit, "The North Carolina Conference Church Extension Ten Dollar Club."
2. That each Pastor furnish the Resident Bishop's office with the names of laymen who might be willing to join such a club.
3. That persons who join the club will be willing to contribute $10.00 at least twice a year on call from the Resident Bishop of the area for a specific church extension projects.
4. That these special gifts be over and above all present regular gifts.
5. That Ministers also be eligible for membership in this club.
6. That the names of all members and total receipts and how disposed be reported at the annual conference each year.



ROLL OF DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE CONFERENCE
Our Promoted Fellow Workers

"These all died in the work and hope of Christ, receiving the end of their faith—the salvation of their souls."

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
1816	Henry E. Pope	1870	7	May 28, 1879 Greensboro
1820	Mingo G. Groom	1874	7	March 17, 1881 Wilmington
	Geo. W. Price	1871	10	September 12, 1881 Charlotte
	Florad Waters	1875	7	March 29, 1883 Maxton
1821	Matthews Alson	1870	14	April 1, 1884 Greensboro
	Nelson Farror	1871	4	January 9, 1887 Raleigh
1816	James Payne	1878	9	April 1, 1888 Greensboro
1825	A. M. Turner	1874	16	August, 1888 Raleigh
	Josiah Caldicut	1891	16	August 12, 1890 Marion
	Geo. W. Ratcliff	1891		1891 Hickory
1830	W. W. Morgan	1872	27	September 16, 1882 Kernersville
1825	Wilson Gray	1877	15	November, 1892 Dobson
	Thos. S. Sitt	1893	1	November, 1894 Lexington
1839	W. W. Smith	1888	19	May 20, 1896 Lexington
1835	Wiley C. Gibson	1875	23	November, 1898 Hamlet
1826	Wyatt Walker	1871	26	May 20, 1900 Reidsville
1846	O. Letterlough	1899	2	April 20, 1900 Maxton
1940	C. Harshaw	1828	16	July 3, 1900 Lenoir
1840	Samuel L. Johnson	1890	12	November 6, 1910 Mount Airy
1818	Andrew Conner	1870	20	February 7, 1903 McPelah
1854	M. C. Rogers	1889	22	July 24, 1903 Salem
1941	John E. Champlain	1869	34	October 8, 1903 High Point
1837	Isaac Wells	1870	37	February 28, 1907 Greensboro
1846	Evander McDaniel	1889	18	August 8, 1907 Townsville
1897	Jacob C. Price	1907	4	May 23, 1911 Reidsville
1869	John M. McNeil	1902	9	August 5, 1911 Rowland
	D. L. Dixon	1910	2	November 18, 1912 Statesville
1852	S. A. Gibson	1890	22	August 2, 1912 High Point
1831	David Connell	1878	41	December 15, 1912 Greensboro
1863	Alexander Clark	1887	26	June 15, 1913 Greensboro
1869	John W. Davis	1893	21	April 14, 1914 Laurinburg
	L. G. McDonald			August, 1916 Lamar, S. C.
	Ellis Ellison			March 28, 1917 Winston-Salem
	Chas. W. Blaylock	1875	24	1917 Greensboro
	John C. Robbins		23	July 8, 1917 Gastonia
1856	W. A. Pryor		22	August 25, 1918 High Point
1857	F. L. Bost	1898	12	Kernersville
1849	J. H. Hunter	1883	15	Greensboro
1848	S. M. Hanes	1875		Winston
1853	Samuel McDonald	1890	30	Winston
1853	S. P. West	1882	38	January 22, 1921 Oxford
1864	G. F. Hill	1888		February 26, 1920 Old Fort
	Henry Fink		6	
1835	L. B. Gibson		6	March 26, 1822 Greensboro
1844	W. P. Hayes	1888	16	August 28, 1922 Maxton
1861	M. M. Jones	1891	34	March 9, 1925 Greensboro
1872	J. A. Laughlin	1905	30	November 19, 1925 Greensboro
	J. H. Isham			September 21, 1927 Rockingham

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
	W. M. Crawford			November, 1927 Winston
1838	Elisha Howard	1885		February, 1928 Asheboro
1862	A. W. McMaster	1894	34	November, 1928 Greensboro
1858	J. D. Murphy	1896	30	August, 1928 Maxton
1881	A. D. McDonald	1920	9	1928 Randolph
1848	Robert Smith	1886	50	January 30, 1930 Brown Summit
1872	N. M. Martin	1906	24	February, 1930 Asheville
1864	G. W. Brower	1892	39	1930 High Point
1854	J. W. Jones	1898	32	1930 Guilford
1878	C. E. Howard	1916	14	July 25, 1930 Mocksville
1872	A. G. Jenkins	1905	25	September, 1930 Charlotte
1870	E. D. Petty	1894	36	1930 Chicago, Ill.
1853	E. H. Arthur	1887	44	November, 1931 Greensboro
1861	J. P. Morris	1890	1800	41 May, 1931 Greensboro
1869	N. S. T. Shambouger	1910	21	September, 1931 Lumberton
1874	N. M. Black	1907	24	December 20, 1931 Winston
	J. A. Cherry		16	May 10, 1932 Hickory
1854	M. J. Bullock	1885	37	June 13, 1932 Greensboro
1878	J. R. Dillard	1917	15	July 10, 1932 Ramseur
1849	W. W. Pope	1883	37	July 22, 1932 Winston
1896	G. T. Foley	1925	8	January 14, 1933 High Point
1843	J. C. Addie	1894	32	May 2, 1933 Hickory
1837	Daniel Brooks	1874	34	May 12, 1933 High Point
1867	M. C. Laughlin	1811	12	July 17, 1933 Greensboro
1852	J. D. Hairston	1885	28	October 23, 1933 Goldsboro
1872	J. W. Wells	1889	32	January 18, 1934 Greensboro
1864	J. H. Garrett	1882	21	February 9, 1935 Reidsville
1852	A. H. Newsome	1883	52	September 30, 1935 Greensboro
1868	W. R. Ziegler	1893	40	November 6, 1935 Greensboro
1862	S. L. May	1880	52	August 8, 1936 Thomasville
1875	S. J. Hayden	1903	33	October 11, 1936 Seagrove
1877	Samuel H. Pdesley	1929	8	January 5, 1937 Shelby
1882	Frank S. Abernathy	1930	7	1937 Mooresville
1861	W. M. Chavis	1891	45	May 20, 1937 Kernersville
1860	S. F. B. Peace	1891	46	December 14, 1937 Greensboro
1860	W. B. Scales	1902	36	May 15, 1938 Madison
	M. M. Patrick			May 23, 1938 Greensboro
	P. J. Cook			July 28, 1938 Greensboro
1863	D. H. Kearse	1921	19	September, 1938 Winston-Salem
	P. F. Johnson	1898	39	December 27, 1938 Hickory
	H. O. Fredrick			1939
	A. B. McQueen	1898		1940
1853	G. W. Morehead	1868	55	1940 Greensboro
	R. T. Weatherby	1903	38	July 21, 1940 Greensboro
1872	E. I. Swann	1914	27	1941 Asheville
1882	Henry Jones	1829	13	1941 Elkin
	J. R. McNair			1942 Red Springs
1869	J. W. Simpson	1900	43	July 10, 1943 Greensboro
1852	Marcus Munday	1888	39	1944 Leaksville
1899	Coy N. Williams	1933	11	February, 1944 Winston-Salem
1872	R. D. Bethea	1893	43	September 25, 1944 New York
	C. D. Kirkland			Lincolnton
	W. M. Wells			February 12, 1946 Laurinburg
	Dorsey McRae			Maxton
	J. C. Rush	1920	25	Winston-Salem

Born	Name	Effective	Admitted to Conference	When and Where Departed
	A. M. Robinson			1950
	B. E. Staten			1950
	W. O. Thomas			1950
	H. H. Houston			1951
	B. F. Thomas			1951
	E. M. Felder			1951
	A. E. Robinson			1952
	D. A. Hill			1953
	N. J. Pass			1953 Shelby
	P. W. Webb			1953
	D. L. Thomas			December 7, 1953 Raleigh
	J. W. Hall			1954 Oxford
	J. W. Lynch			February 3, 1954 High Point
	P. I. Wells			April 2, 1953 Greensboro
	R. J. Shipp			May 4, 1953
	S. B. Cornelius			1954
	R. B. Rhyne			1956 Red Springs

HISTORICAL VIEW

From the organization of Methodism in America, the work in North Carolina was continued in Virginia and afterwards in the Virginia and South Carolina Conference. In the year 1836, the General Conference set up in North Carolina. Its first session opened as a part of the Virginia Conference, but when it adjourned, there were two Conferences.

Facts from the first ninety sessions are gleaned from the General Minutes from the Conference Journal for those years, which is now in custody of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

At the Confeernce of December 4, 1844, there were 10,495 white members and 3,100 colored. Without consulting the wisdom of the latter, nearly the whole membership became a part of a new church, organized in May, 1845, and called the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Some of the colored members entered the A.M.E. Church, some of the colored M.E. Church of America, but thousands turned gladly to the bosom of the old Methodist Episcopal Church as it returned to the State after the Civil War.

Between the years 1844, when the Church was separated over the slave question, and in 1865, when at the close of the War, the M.E. Church returned to shepherd its scattering flock in North Carolina, there was no session of the North Carolina Conference.

From the North Carolina Conference, the Blue Ridge was formed with twelve preachers, 2,839 members and probationers, and 41 church edifices.

CONFERENCE SESSIONS

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
1—February 8, 1837	Petersburg, Va.		J. H. Leigh		20030	
2—January 31, 1838	Greensboro	Morris	J. H. Leigh		20030	
3—January 26, 1839	Louisburg	Andrews	J. H. Leigh		20225	
4—January 29, 1840	New Bern	Morris	S. S. Bryant		25889	
5—December 20, 1840	Mocksville	Morris	S. S. Bryant		20597	
6—October 26, 1841	Raleigh		S. S. Bryant		22851	
7—October 26, 1842	Louisburg	Waugh	S. S. Bryant		28415	

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
8—October 25, 1843	Halifax	Soule	S. S. Bryant		21247	----
9—December 4, 1844	Pittsburgh	Morris	Wm. G. Matton	17	4100	----
10—January 14, 1868	Union Chapel	Ames				
11—January 6, 1869	High Point	James	Wm. G. Matton	26	4500	69
12—January 20, 1871	Lincolnton	Simpson	Wm. G. Matton	36	8111	79
13—December 28, 1872	Greensboro	Simpson	Wm. G. Matton	36	811	79
14—January 8, 1873	Charlotte	Ames	Wm. G. Matton	37	8263	79
15—January 7, 1874	Lexington	Haven	Wm. G. Matton	25	9531	100
16—January 5, 1875	Greensboro	Wiley	Wm. G. Matton	44	8582	97
17—January 5, 1876	Winston	Foster	Wm. G. Matton	44	9717	104
18—January 10, 1877	Wilmington	Harris	Wm. G. Matton	44	10171	106
19—January 24, 1878	Lumberton	Scott	E. O. Thayer	42	8520	112
20—January 30, 1879	Greensboro	Peck	E. O. Thayer	46	8525	127
21—February 4, 1880	High Point	Simpson	E. O. Thayer	30	9854	97
22—January 27, 1881	Raleigh	Warren	E. O. Thayer	34	1012	97
23—January 26, 1882	Laurinburg	Foster	W. F. Steele	37	7228	92
24—January 31, 1883	Winston	Merrill	W. F. Steele	37	7498	87
25—February 6, 1884	Greensboro	Bowman	W. F. Steele	37	7761	94
26—February 5, 1885	Lumberton	Andrews	W. F. Steele	41	8167	96
27—February 11, 1886	Charlotte	Ninee	W. F. Steele	43	8371	96
28—October 14, 1886	Raleigh	Walden	W. F. Steele	44	8424	95
29—October 27, 1887	High Point	Mallalieu	W. F. Steele	49	9664	100
30—October 25, 1888	Lenoir	Fitzgerald	C. N. Grandison	52	8948	115
31—October 25, 1889	Goldsboro	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	54	8034	
32—October 23, 1890	Maxton	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	60		
33—October 15, 1891	Winston	Warren	C. N. Grandison	63	8200	116
34—October 20, 1892	Reidsville	Foss	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
35—October 19, 1893	Lexington	Hurst	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
36—October 4, 1894	Oxford	Mallalieu	J. J. Morris	70	9612	124
37—October 16, 1895	Greensboro	Mallalieu	R. W. S. Thomas	78	8884	133
38—September 17, 1896	Charlotte	Andrews	R. W. S. Thomas			

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
39—October 7, 1897	Laurinburg	Foster	R. W. S. Thomas	74	12751	133
40—October 13, 1898	Lenoir	Mallalieu	R. W. S. Thomas	77	1940	133
41—October 12, 1899	Winston	Fowler	R. E. Jones	73	9525	133
42—October 11, 1900	Reidsville	Foss	R. E. Jones	76	10579	133
43—October 17, 1901	High Point	Goodsell	R. E. Jones	78	10597	133
44—October 16, 1902	Mount Airy	Walden	R. E. Jones	80	19579	133
45—October 14, 1903	Greensboro	Joyce	S. A. Peeler	88	11100	152
46—October 13, 1904	Hickory	Fitzgerald	S. A. Peeler	76	9773	166
47—October 12, 1905	Maxton	Cranston	S. A. Peeler	76	11894	
48—October 11, 1906	Asheville	Burt	S. A. Peeler	79	10222	172
49—October 17, 1907	Winston	Spellmeyer	S. A. Peeler	81	10547	172
50—October 15, 1908	Charlotte	Bristol	S. A. Peeler	76	11063	172
51—October 14, 1909	High Point	Moore	S. A. Peeler	78	10984	179
52—October 6, 1910	Leaksville	Neely	S. A. Peeler	84	11400	162
53—October 12, 1911	Greensboro	Anderson	S. A. Peeler	79	12278	169
54—October 20, 1912	Lenoir	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	85	12700	171
55—November 20-23, 1913	Maxton	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	86	13225	173
56—November 26-30, 1914	Thomasville	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	84	14555	151
57—December 1-4, 1915	Winston	Wilson, L. B.	G. Haven Caldwell	91	13921	172
58—November 14-19, 1916	West Raleigh	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13762	195
59—November 14-18, 1917	Hickory	Hughes, E. H.	R. N. Brooks	88	14170	143
60—November 3-17, 1918	Charlotte	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143
61—November 12-16, 1919	High Point	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143
62—November 11-14, 1920	Winston	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13206	195
63—November 8-12, 1922	Reidsville	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	12557	195
65—November 7-12, 1923	Laurinburg	Wilson, L. B.	G. Haven Caldwell	96	12000	195
66—Oct. 20-Nov. 2, 1924	Lexington	Bristol, Frank M.	J. A. Baxter	97	14537	218
67—Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 1925	Marion	Thirkield, W. P.	J. A. Baxter	97	13261	254
68—October 27-31, 1926	West Raleigh	Clair, M. W.	S. A. Peeler	97	13138	149
69—October 26-30, 1927	Madison	Thirkield, W. P.	S. A. Peeler	95	11796	161
70—Oct. 31-Nov. 4, 1928	Greensboro	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	98	13762	179

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
71—October 23-27, 1929	Hickory	Smith, H. Lester	G. Haven Caldwell	88	13807	161
72—November 5-9, 1930	Winston-Salem	Mead, Chas. L.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	13757	161
73—November 25-29, 1931	High Point	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	92	13614	167
74—October 27-30, 1932	Reidsville	Smith, H. Lester	W. E. Hairston	91	13614	156
75—Sept. 28-Oct. 1, 1933	Maxton	Brown, W. E.	W. E. Hairston	90	13310	158
76—October 24-28, 1934	Lenoir	Brown, W. E.	W. E. Hairston	89	13220	163
77—October 22-27, 1935	Greensboro	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	83	13474	164
78—October 22-25, 1936	Hamlet	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	80	13470	164
79—October 27-31, 1937	Thomasville	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	78	13473	164
80—October 26-30, 1938	Hickory	Jones, R. E.	J. E. Brower	77	12400	164
81—October 25-29, 1939	West Raleigh	Clair, M. W.	J. E. Brower	77	13662	164
82—November 6-10, 1940	Laurinburg	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	73	13076	104
83—October 21-26, 1941	Winston-Salem	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	75	11876	164
84—Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 1942	Greensboro	Jones, R. E.	J. E. Brower	75	12706	164
85—October 27-31, 1943	Charlotte	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	72	12990	164
86—October 25-29, 1944	Lenoir	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	85	13088	178
87—Oct. 30-Nov. 4, 1945	Lumberton	Brooks, R. N.	J. E. Brower	82	12573	159
88—Oct. 29-Nov. 3, 1946	High Point	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wootten	85	13783	159
89—Oct. 28-Nov. 2, 1947	Reidsville	Shaw, A. P.	M. McCallum	89	12424	159
90—November 3-7, 1948	Hickory	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wootten	89	13232	159
91—November 3-6, 1949	Winston-Salem	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wootten			
92—November 2-5, 1950	Hamlet	Shaw, A. P.	C. L. Gidney			
93—Oct. 31-Nov. 4, 1951	High Point	Shaw, A. P.	C. L. Gidney	70		
94—June 4-8, 1952	Greensboro	Shaw, A. P.	W. R. Crawford	75		
95—June 3-7, 1953	Lenoir	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	75		
96—June 2-6, 1954	Asheville	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	70		
97—June 15-19, 1955	Lauringburg	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	67	14834	
98—May 29-June 3, 1956	Raleigh	Bowen, J. W. E.	W. R. Crawford	70	14877	87
99—June 4-June 9, 1957	Winston-Salem	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	79		87

RECORD OF SERVICE IN THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

ARMSTRONG, CLINTON C.
1951-54 Greensboro; Browning Chapel Instructor Bennett College
1956 Statesville Ct.

BAILEY, CHARLES W., SR.
1946-54 Wilkesboro; Boone

BLACK, EUGENE
1943 Brown Summit
1949 Basses; Raleigh

BETHEA, JOSEPH B.
1956 Trans. South Carolina Con. Elkin-Jonesville

BLANTON, JOHN JULIUS
1911 Newton
1913 Machpelah
1914 Machpelah; Stanley
1915 Walnut Cove
1919 Wilkesboro
1920 Elkin; Jonesville
1925 Lowesville
1926 Lowesville; Ebenezer
1928 Retired
Died 3-20-49

BRIDGES, RAMSAY MAY
1942 Washington; Asbury (Asst.)
1943 Cumberland; Frostburg
1946 Hickory
1949 Simpson Memorial
1950 Transferred; N. Y. Conf.

BROOKS, GLENN ALBERT
1945 Marion
1947 Statesville
1949 Asheboro
1953 Lexington; Midway

BROWER, JOHN E.
1922 South High Point
1925 Reidsville
1929 Laurinburg Cool Springs
1930 Supt. Winston District
1936 Asheville
1940 Greensboro; St. Matthews
1945 Supt. Greensboro District
1951 Greensboro; St. Matthews

BROWN, BEVERLY
1943 Bomore; Mt. Zion
1944 Statesville; Scott's Chlx.
1946 Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1950 Forest City
1951 Reidsville

BROWN, LEANDER A.
1929 In School
1931 Pen Hook
1933 High Point; Brooks Memorial
1934 Lexington
1938 Lenoir
1940 Asheville
1944 Berry Temple
1945 Asheville

BROWN, WILLIAM T.
1943 Kingston
1944 Marumsco; Kingston
1946 Maxton; Piney Grove
1948 Raleigh
1951 Fayetteville
1954 Greensboro; Union Mem.

BURGE, BENJAMIN
1912 Lincolnton Ct.
1914 King's Mt.; Lincolnton
1915 Lenoir Ct.
1916 Denver; Ebenezer
1918 Ebenezer; Cornelius
1919 W. Asheville; Waynesville
1921 Bessemer City
1926 Lawndale; Brooks
1929 Newton; Conover
1932 Lenoir
1936 Marion
1940 Statesville; Philadelphia
1942 Statesville Ct.
1944 Newton Ct.
1957 Retired

BURWICK, OSCAR W.
1939 Lenoir City
1940 Forest City
1941 Forest City; Shelby
1942 Boulware Chapel
1943 Johns; Beaver Dam
1944 Gastonia; Epworth Cherryville
1948 Maxton
1949 Hickory
1952 Maxton
1953 Asheboro

BYERS, GEORGE W.
1887 Cleveland
1888 Goldborough
1890 Piney Grove; John Station
1892 Rowland; Salem
1896 Maxton
1897 Hamlet; Southern Pines
1899 Hamlet
1900 Lumberton
1901 Melrose; Hickory Bend
1906 Shelby; Falston
1907 Red Springs; Beaumont

1908 Red Springs; Hickory Bend
1910 Summerfield
1912 Greensboro; Northwest
1916 Greensboro; South
1924 Bolar
1925 Withers Chapel; Paine
1926 Wilkesboro
1928 Retired
Died 6-8-45

BYNUM, CHARLES G.
1926 Empire
1928 Newton; Conover
1930 Zion Hill; Hazes
1932 Old Fort; Gladees
1933 Greensboro; Southeast
1934 Greensboro; Extension
1938 Walkertown Chester Gv.
1939 Mt. Holly Ct.
1940 Johns; Beaver Dam
1941 Advance; Oak Grove
1945 Rural Hall; Pilot Mt.
1947 Randleman; St. Peters; Mt. Zion
1950 Lincolnton
1953 Mt. Airy
1956 Penhook Ct.

CALDWELL, FRED D.
1920 Boonesville; Rocky Mt.
1921 Bones Mill
1922 Advance
1923 Kernersville
1924 Kernersville
1926 In School
1927 Walkertown
1928 Ramseur
1929 Rowland; Salem
1930 Asheboro; Mitchell
1935 High Point; Brooks Mem.
1936 Maxton; Piney Grove
1938 Thomasville; St. John; Midway
1948 Supt. Laurinburg District
1954 Mt. Carmel; Warren St.; Greensboro

CALDWELL, GILBERT HAVEN
1908 North Greensboro
1909 In School
1910 Liberty; Glenola
1911 West Asheville
1913 Statesville; Philadelphia
1914 West Raleigh
1917 In School
1918 Y.M.C.A. Army Work
1919 Bennett College (Prof.)
1921 Bennett College (Dean)
1923 Samuel Houston College (Prof.)
1925 Asheville
1930 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1931 Supt. Western District
1937 Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1941 Conf. Youth Counselor
1944 Dallas, Texas; St. Paul
1948 Conf. Secretary Evang.
1949 Wesley Tab.; Galveston
1951 Faculty; Sam Houston College
1952 Prof.; Claflin College
1954 Ramseur; Laughlins

COLE, WHYTT P.
1956 Mt. Airy-Pilot Mt.

CAMERON, WALTER J.
1932 Ramseur
1934 Greensboro; High St.
1936 Lumberton; Pembroke
1941 Raleigh
1947 Conf. Executive Secretary
1949 Supt. Western District

CAMPT, LOWELL MASON
1945 Penhook; Boon's Mill
Died 8-8-49

CORNELIUS, SANDY B.
1896 Franklin
1897 Boone
1899 Waynesville; Beaver Dam
1900 Waynesville
1901 Franklin
1902 Hendersonville
1903 Supernumerary
1904 Located-Own request
1906 Readmitted; Old Fort
1907 Black Mountain
1916 Supernumerary
1924 Retired
1925 Supernumerary
1929 Retired

CRAWFORD, WILLIAM R.
1943 In School
1947 Winston-Salem Mt. Pleasant

DAVIS, H. A.
1923 Randleman
1924 Trinity
1925 John Station
1927 Johns-Beaver Dam
1928 Kernersville
1929 Ramseur
1931 Brown Summit
1935 Brown Summit-Caswell
1936 Trinity; Glenola
1938 Pen Hook
1941 West Asheville
1943 Wilkesboro Ct.
1944 Kings Mountain
1945 Mt. Holly
1947 Empire
1952 Mt. Zion; Greensboro

DULA, JOHN Q.
1936 Pen Hook
1938 Randleman
1940 Empire Circuit
1944 Forest City
1948 Elkin; Jonesville

FINK, HENRY H.
1812 Monroe; Bethel
1913 Catawba; Ht. Morn
1918 Retired
Died 2-9-20

FRAZIER, THOMAS C.
1906 South Greenville
1909 Belton
1911 Greenwood
1912 Chesnee
1914 Wilkinsville
1914 Townsville; Bullock
1916 Lawndale; Flat Rock
1918 Bessemer City; Kings Mt.
1919 Bessemer City; Galillee
1921 Winston; Mayes Chapel
1924 Forest City
1926 Trans. to East Tennessee
1927 Chattanooga; Staley
1928 North Carolina; Phila.
1929 Advance
1930 Marion
1933 Statesville; Philadelphia
1937 Catwaba Ct.
1938 Lexington
1939 Brown Summit; Caswell
1940 Basses; Browning
1941 Kernersville Ct.
1942 Wilkesboro Ct.
1943 Mt. Holly Ct.
1944 Mt. Holly; Rock Grove
1945 Retired

FRIEND, IRA A.
1935 Walnut Cove; Rockhill
1936 Jones; Salem
1938 Lowesville; Tuckers
1940 Mooresville Ct.
1949 Mt. Airy; Jones Temple; Pilot Mt.
1950 Wesleys Chapel; Chapel Hill
1955 Red Springs

FROST, EVANGELIST
1943 Trinity; Glenola
1945 Trinity Ct.
1946 Thomasville; Trinity; Glenola
1947 Trinity Ct.

GAMBLE, JAMES WILLIAM
1930 South Carolina Conf.
1930 Pendleton Charge
1932 No Record
1942 Joined N. C. Conf.
1943 Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1946 Kings Mountain
1949 Catawba Larger Parish
1950 Supernumerary

GANNAWAY, HERBERT C.
1926 In School
1927 Newport News
1928 Gastonia
1932 Rowland; Salem
1933 Madison
1935 Leaksville
1938 Maxton
1940 Maxton; Piney Grove
Died 7-7-45

GARRETT, JAMES HENRY
1903 Jackson
1907 Danville; Spray
1909 Jackson
1914 Jackson; Rankin
1916 Wentworth; Settles
1922 Caswell
1925 Retired
Died 2-9-35

GIDNEY, CALVIN LEROY
1926 Charlotte Mission
1927 Rowland; Salem
1928 Rockingham Ct.
1930 Mount Airy
1932 Winston-Salem; Mt. Pleasant
1933 Newton; Conover
1934 Sherrills Ford
1938 Mooresville
1940 Lowesville Ct.
1941 Gastonia; Cherryville
1942 Gastonia Ct.
1944 Lexington
1952 Lexington; Raleigh
1953 Raleigh

GLEAVES, BENJAMIN F.
1924 Wilmington
1926 Ramseur
1928 Cherryville; Bethel
1929 Shelby
1930 Cherryville
1932 Kings Mountain
1940 Rowland; Salem
1942 Philadelphia; New Zion; Pembroke
1944 Hoffman; Pembroke
1946 Wilmington; Bolton; Pembroke
1947 Bolton
1949 Bolton; Pembroke; Mt. Zion
1954 New Zion; Mt. Zion

GRAHAM, OSCAR M.
1944 ..... Bolton
1945 ..... In School
1948 ..... Forest City
1949 ..... Gastonia
1950 ..... Chaplain—U. S. Army
1955 ..... Goldsboro

GWYNN, JAMES W.
1948 ..... In School
1951 ..... Ramseur
1953 ..... Oxford

HAIRSTON, W. E.
1917 ..... Empire
1918 ..... Newport News
1919 ..... Rowland; Salem
1921 ..... Leaksville
1926 ..... South High Point
1938 ..... High Point; Brooks Mem.
1929 ..... Lumberton
1936 ..... Hickory
1939 ..... Leave of Absence
1940 ..... Brown Summit Ct.
1941 ..... Asheboro; Mitchell
1946 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1954 ..... Sabbatical Leave
1955 ..... Wesley and Chapel Hill

HALL, J. W.
1926 ..... Oxford
1929 ..... Oxford; Township
Died 1953

HARKNESS, DAVID S.
1935 ..... Loews; Spring Hill Johnson
1936 ..... In School
1939 ..... Kelleyton Ct.
1940 ..... Center Grove Ct.
1942 ..... Spring Hill
1942 ..... Waynesboro
1943 ..... Macon
1945 ..... Chaplain, U. S. Army
1948 ..... Gastonia
1949 ..... Kings Mountain
1950 ..... Ramseur
1951 ..... Chaplain, U. S. Army
1952 ..... Red Springs
1953 ..... Maxton
1955 ..... Marion

HILL, DOCK A.
1930 ..... Star
1931 ..... Liberty Grove
1933 ..... Trinity; Glenola
1936 ..... Brown Summitt
1938 ..... Advance; Oak Grove
1939 ..... Retired
1940 ..... Greensboro
1942 ..... Kernersville Ct.
1944 ..... Empire
1947 ..... Lincolnton Ct.
1949 ..... West Asheville

HOGUE, GEORGE E.
1929 ..... Lenoir Ct.
1930 ..... Pen Hook
1931 ..... Franklin
1934 ..... Johns; Beaver Dam
1935 ..... John's; Salem
1936 ..... Red Springs; St. Mark's; Hickory Bend
1942 ..... Charlotte; Simpson Mem.
1943 ..... Supt. Western District
1949 ..... Ex. Sec. Conf. Bd. of Edu.
1951 ..... Laurinburg

HOUSTON, HOLTON HENRY
1935 ..... Hunters
1936 ..... Bessemer City
1940 ..... Lenoir Circuit
1943 ..... Lenoir
1946 ..... Lenoir

HOWARD, CHARLES E.
1919 ..... Madison
1920 ..... Winston; Reynolda; Boston Cottage
1923 ..... Wilkesboro
1925 ..... Supernumerary
1926 ..... Mocksville
1927 ..... Lincolnton; Mt. Holly
1928 ..... Retired

ISHAM, JOHN H.
1919 ..... Newport News
1920 ..... Madison; Stoneville
1921 ..... Forest City
1924 ..... Oxford; Bullocks
1926 ..... Rockingham; Philadelphia
Died 9-21-27

JENKINS, P. W.
1938 ..... In School
1939 ..... Thomasville
1941 ..... Chaplain, U. S. Army

JOHNSON, PETER F.
1898 ..... Marion
1899 ..... Standley; Mt. Holly
1901 ..... Monroe
1902 ..... Patterson
1903 ..... Newton
1904 ..... Winston Ct.
1905 ..... Advance; St. James
1907 ..... Salisbury
1909 ..... Jonesville
1912 ..... Sherrill's Ford
1916 ..... Marion; Addies Chapel
1918 ..... Lenoir
1919 ..... Newton; Conover
1920 ..... Lawndale; Flat Rock
1922 ..... Lincolnton; Mt. Holly
1924 ..... Mooresville; Mayhew
1926 ..... Old Fort
1927 ..... Greensboro; East
1928 ..... Asheboro
1930 ..... Rowland; Salem

1931 ..... Catawba
1932 ..... Wilkesboro
1933 .. Bessemer City; Cherryville
Bethel
1934 ..... Bessemer; Galilee
1935 ..... Lenoir Ct.
1937 ..... West Asheville
1938 ..... Retired
Died 1938

JONES, HENRY
1927 ..... Rural Hall
Died 5-27-41

JONES, JOHN W.
1916 ..... Kernersville
1920 ..... Madison Ct.
1922 ..... McPelah; St. James
1923 ..... McPelah; Stanley
1924 ..... Boone
1925 ..... Retired
Died December, 1930

JONES, JOHN WESLEY
1943 ..... Rural Hall; Pilot Mtn.
1945 ..... Thomasville
1948 ..... Hoover's Chapel;
Andrew's Grove
1949 .. Hoover's Chapel; Andrew's
and Chestnut Grove
1954 ..... East Thomasville

JONES, M. M.
1891 ..... Asheville
1894 ..... Maxton; Piney Grove
1895 ..... Reidsville
1896 ..... Greensboro
1898 ..... Laurinburg
1900 ..... Supt. Western District
1906 ..... Supt. Raleigh District
1909 ..... Supt. Winston District
1912 ..... Charlotte
1915 ..... Lexington; Thomasville
1917 Red Springs; Hickory Bend
1918 ..... Red Springs; Bowmore
1920 .. Supt. Wilmington District
Died 3-9-25

KIRKLAND, GEORGE DAVID
1942 ..... Catawba Ct.
Died 11-27-45

KEARSE, DAVID H.
1898 ..... Reidsville, S. C.
1899 ..... Yorkville
1901 ..... Cowpens
1913 ..... Seneca
1914 ..... Supernumerary
1915 ..... Withdrew
1921 ..... Durham; Creedmore
1922 ..... Lawndale; Brooks
1925 ..... Shelby Ct.
1926 ..... Bessemer City
1928 ..... Lincolnton; Mt. Holly;
Stanley
1930 ..... Rockingham; So. Pines
1931 ..... Rockingham; Philadelphia
1932 ..... Pembroke Ct.
1933 ..... Retired
Died 1938

LAUGHLIN, JAMES A.
1898 ..... Statesville; Philadelphia
1902 ..... Central Randolph
1905 ..... West Greensboro
1910 ..... Greensboro; High St.;
Bass
1914 ..... Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1918 ..... Supt. Western District
1923 ..... Guilford
1925 ..... Retired
Died 11-19-25

LAUGHLIN, MARCUS C.
1908 ..... East Greensboro
1919 ..... Lenoir
1924 ..... Newton; Conover
1925 ..... East Thomasville
1932 ..... Midway; Chestnut Grove
Died 7-17-33

LAUGHLIN, M. SAMUEL
1933 ..... Pen Hook
1936 ..... Ramseur
1940 ..... Red Springs; Beauty Spot
1941 ..... Marion; Old Fort
1942 ..... Marion Ct.
1944 ..... Marion; Addie Chapel
1945 ..... Madison; Stoneville
1947 ..... Winston-Salem
St. Andrews
1953 .. St. Home; Winston-Salem
1955 ..... Statesville
1956 ..... Wilkesboro Ct.

LEDWELL, JAMES H.
1932 ..... Caswell
1934 ..... Kernersville
1935 ..... Kernersville
1938 ..... Bass Chapel
1940 ..... Kernersville Ct.
1941 ..... Wesley; Chapel Hill
1950 ..... Retired

LOMAX, WALTER T.
1903 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1905 ..... Central Randolph
1910 ..... Reidsville Ct.
1912 ..... Greensboro; South
1916 ..... Greensboro; Northwest
1924 ..... Hickory
1929 ..... Reidsville
1933 ..... High Point; St. Mark's
1935 ..... Supt. Greensboro District
1941 ..... Basses; Raleigh's
Crossroads
1949 ..... Retired
1950 ..... Brown Summit Charge

LYNCH, JAMES WATKINS
1946 ..... Asheboro
1949 ..... Kernersville
1951 ..... Supernumerary
Died 1954

MATTISON, ERNEST N.
1937 ..... Mt. Holly; Stanley
1939 ..... Newton Conover
1940 ..... Mt. Holly Circuit
1943 ..... Chaplain U. S. Army
1947 ..... In School
1949 ..... Fayetteville
1951 ..... Chaplain U. S. Army
1954 ..... Forest City

MAYFIELD, LAMON
1936 ..... Randleman
1938 ..... Guilford; Kernersville
1939 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1940 ..... Ramseur; Marion
1941 ..... High Point; Brooks Mem.
1951 ..... Supt. Winston District

MILLS, JOHN S.
1956 ..... Wilmington
Trans. from A. M. E. Zion

McBRAYER, SUMMIE B.
1936 ..... Bessemer; Galilee
1938 ..... Sherrils Ford; Lincolnton
1940 ..... Catawba Ct.
1942 ..... Newton Ct.
1944 ..... Shelby; Philadelphia; Durham Chapel
1945 ..... Mt. Airy
1949 ..... Rowland; Salem
1953 ..... Red Springs

McCALLUM, F. FELTON
1937 ..... Tazewell
1938 ..... S. Pittsburg
1939 ..... Chattanooga; Grace
1941 ..... Glade Springs Ct.
1942 ..... Winchester
1943 ..... Steubenville
1945 ..... Maysville
1946 ..... Evansville; Rockport
1948 ..... Detroit; Mitchell Mem.
1949 ..... Owensboro
1950 ..... New Zion
1952 ..... New London; Sec. Meth.
1953 ..... Newport News
1954 ..... Sanford Ct.

McCALLUM, JAMES ENOCH
1947 ..... In School
1950 ..... Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1951 ..... Conf. Dir. of Relig. Ed.
1955 ..... Durham and Conf. Dir. of Relig. Ed.
1956 ..... Chaplain, Wiley College

McCALLUM, JAMES H.
1942 ..... Hoffman Ct.
1944 ..... Bomore; Mt. Zion
1948 ..... Bomore; Piney Grove
1949 ..... Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1951 ..... Maxton
1953 ..... Cool Springs; Hoffman
1956 ..... Johns St.-Piney Grove

McCALLUM, MARSHALL
1921 ..... Greensboro; Northeast
1924 ..... In School
1927 ..... Shelby; King's Mtn.
1928 ..... Boston Univer. and Asst. Pastor, Fourth St. Methodist Church, Boston, Mass.
1929 ..... Newport News
1930 ..... Claflin College
1934 ..... Orangeburg; Trinity Ch.
1938 ..... Columbia; Wesley Church Prof. at Allen Univ.
1945 ..... Lenoir
1948 ..... Reidsville; Mt. Zion
1951 ..... Hamlet

McCALLUM, ROBERT FRANK
1927 ..... Elkin
1930 ..... Greensboro; South
1933 ..... Leaksville
1935 ..... Winston-Salem; St. Andrews
1942 ..... Supt. Winston District
1945 ..... Supt. Laurinburg District
1948 ..... St. John; Midway
1955 ..... St. Home; Winston

McDONALD, SAMUEL
1907 ..... Lumberton
1909 ..... Mt. Airy
1911 ..... Hamlet; Philadelphia
1913 ..... Jonesville
1916 ..... Forshee
1917 ..... Central Randolph
1918 ..... Retired
Died 9-2-20

McLEAN, DANIEL HUGH
1942 ..... Daytona Beach, Fla.
1944 ..... Gainesville, Fla.
1953 ..... Lumberton, N. C.

McLEOD, EDWARD MOTON
1925 ..... Catawba Ct.
1927 ..... Catawba Ct.
1928 ..... Lowesville; McPelah; St. James
1932 ..... Shelby; Brooks
1935 ..... Forest City; Shelby
1937 ..... Bowmore; Mt. Zion
1941 ..... Ramseur
1944 ..... Leaksville
1949 ..... Bomore; Piney Grove
1954 ..... Johns; Piney Grove

McLEOD, WILLIAM S.
1933 Beauty Spot; Mt. Zion
1936 West Raleigh
1941 High Point; St. Marks
1945 Supt. Winston District
1951 Brooks Mem., High Point

McNAIR, JOHN R.
1907 In School
1908 Monroe; Bethel
1909 Wilmington Ct.
1912 Pleasant Ridge
1915 Lawndale; Flat Rock
1916 In School
1918 Leaksville
1921 Norfolk
1923 Bowmore; Sand Hill
1924 Retired
Died 11-28-41

McRAE, ROBERT B.
1922 Goldsboro
1923 Ramseur
1926 Franklin
1929 Mt. Pleasant; Winston-Salem
1930 Hamlet
1939 Charlotte
1940 Supt. Laurinburg District
1945 High Point; St. Mark
1950 Reidsville
1952 Forest City
1954 Fayetteville

MOORE, DOUGLAS E.
1950 In School
1953 Ramseur
1954 Leaksville
1956 Durham-Executive Sec.

PASS, NORRIS JAN
1906 Newport News
1907 Gastonia; Bessemer City
1908 Gastonia
1910 Lexington; Thomasville
1915 Charlotte
1918 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1923 Supt. Western District
1929 Lawndale; Brooks
1932 Forest City; Lawndale
1935 Lawndale; Brooks
1944 Shelby; Brooks
1945 Philadelphia
Died 1953

PATTERSON, GEORGE W.
1925 Boone
1926 Mooresville; Mayhew
1928 Marion
1929 Forest City
1930 Wilkesboro
1932 West Asheville
1933 Wilkesboro
1934 Catawba
1936 Newton; Conover
1939 Statesville; Philadelphia
1940 Kings Mtn. Ct
1941 Elkin
1944 John's Beaver Dam
1946 John's Beauty Spot
1947 Rowland; Salem
1949 Mooresville

PATTERSON, JOHN JETHRO
1940 Fayetteville
1943 Hamlet
1950 High Point

PEACE, SAMUEL F. B.
1896 Lenoir
1899 Gastonia
1900 Laurinburg
1906 Charlotte
1908 Supt. Greensboro District
1914 Greensboro; High St.; Raleigh
1919 Winston-Mays Chapel
1921 Rowland; Salem
1926 Hamlet
1929 Lexington
1933 Greensboro; South
1935 Mt. Airy
Died 12-14-37

PEELER, S. A.
1895 Savannah Conference Warren St. (Macon)
1898 Trans. to N. C. Conf.
1902 Greensboro
1905 Pres.; Bennett College
1913 Reidsville
1914 Supt. Wilmington Dist.
1920 High Point
1926 West Raleigh
1930 Asheville
1936 Greensboro; High St.
1939 Guilford
1941 Greensboro Ct.
1942 Retired
Died 12-3-48

PHELPS, GRANDISON M. SR.
1918 Reidsville
1925 Supt. Wilmington District
1930 Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1937 Supt. Western District
1943 Charlotte; Simpson Mem.
1945 Greensboro; St. Matthews
1950 Supt. Greensboro District
1957 Union Mem. Greensboro

PRINCE, JACOB C.
1904 Austell
1906 Oxford; Bullocks
1908 Asheville
1910 Reidsville
Died 5-23-11

RHYNE, ROBERT B.
1907 Lenoir Ct.
1908 Lincolnton Ct.
1909 King's Mtn. Stanley Creek
1912 Shelby; Lawndale
1915 Bessemer City; King's Mt.
1918 Hickory
1924 Lenoir
1932 Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1935 Asheboro; Mitchell
1941 Red Springs; Beauty Spot
1948 Retired
1948 Red Springs
1952 Cool Spot
1953 Beauty Spot

ROBINSON, AVERY EDNEY
1905 Franklin
1906 Madison Ct.
1908 Townsville; Clarksville
1909 Lenoir Ct.
1910 Madison Ct.
1912 Walnut Cove
1915 Advance Ct.
1919 Pen Hook; Hale's Ford
1921 Wilmington
1923 Empire
1925 Sherrill's Ford
1927 Old Fort
1929 Bessemer City; King's Mt.
1930 Lincolnton; Mt. Holly; Stanley
1932 Retired

ROYSTER, WILLIAM R.
1947 Addie Chapel; Glades; Old Fort
1948 Marion
1955 Shelby Ct.
1956 S. Greensboro

RUSH, J. C.
1918 Oxford
1921 Newport News
1922 East Thomasville
1925 South High Point
1926 Maxton; Piney Grove
1931 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1933 Charlotte
1936 Supt. Laurinburg District
1939 Hickory
1940 Reidsville
1945 Winston-Salem; Mt. Pleasant
Died 4-21-47

SAWYER, JAMES FRANKLIN
1943 Sanford Ct.
1947 Johns; Beauty Spot
1953 Rowland

SCARBOROUGH, W. C. L.
1921 Winston; Mt. Pleasant
1923 Greensboro; High St.
1927 Thomasville
1929 High Point; Brooks Mem.
1931 West Raleigh
1936 Gastonia
1939 Hamlet
1940 Lenoir
1944 Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1957 Trans. Washington Conf.

SHAMBORGUER, NOAH S. T.
1907 Winston; Boston; St. James
1909 Wilmington
1910 Pleasant Ridge
1912 Mayhew Ct.
1915 Kernersville
1917 Asheboro; Mitchell
1919 Lowesville; Stanley
1921 Mooresville; Mayhew
1924 Sherrill's Ford
1925 Greensboro; Northwest
1930 Bowmore; Mt. Zion
Died 10-12-31

SHARPE, ROBERT C.
1933 Thomasville; E. Midway
1937 High Point; Brooks Mem.
1941 Browning; St. James
1944 Greensboro; Northwest
1946 Durham
1950 Warren St.; Mt. Carmel Greensboro
1954 Supt. Laurinburg District

SHARPE, RALPH DAVID
1943 Lumberton; New Zion
1949 Maxton
1950 Hickory

SHIPP, ROBERT JAMES
1898 W. Greensboro
1901 Central Randolph
1902 Statesville; Philadelphia
1904 Shelby; Falston
1906 Sherills Ford
1909 W. Asheville
1911 Trinity; Liberty
1913 Ramseur
1916 Empire
1917 Oxford
1918 Mt. Airy; Pilot Mtn.
1919 Goldsboro
1921 John's; Beaver Dam
1924 Bowmore; Sand Hill
1926 Beauty Spot; New Zion
1929 Wilkesboro
1930 Advance
1932 Mt. Zion; St. Mark; Hickory Bend
1933 Retired

STEWART, BENJAMIN W.
1937 Advance; Oak Grove
1938 Forest City
1939 Leaksville
1944 Winston-Salem; Mt. Pleasant
1945 Charlotte; Simpson Mem. Chestnut Grove
1949 Madison; Stoneville

STOWE, ARTHUR WILLIS
1942 Boone Ct.
1943 Cornelius Ct.
1945 Denver Ct.

STRICKLAND, CLARENCE E.
1941 Hickory Bend
1943 Goldsboro
1944 Philadelphia; St. Peters
1945 Shelby

SWAN, E. I.
1911 Shelby; Lawndale
1912 Hickory
1915 West Asheville
1916 Lenoir
1917 West Raleigh
1918 Statesville; Philadelphia
1920 Marion; Addies
1922 Asheboro
1923 Goldsboro; Rocky Mt.
1924 Catawba Ct.
1925 Greensboro; Northeast
1928 Bessemer City, Kings Mt.
1929 Old Fort
1931 Old Fort; Glades
1932 Boone
1938 Beauty Spot; New Zion
1939 Retired
Died 10-3-41
1937 Wilkesboro

TARPLEY, THOMAS CLEMIE
1943 Walnut Cove; Walkertown
1945 Chestnut Grove
1946 Chestnut Grove; Laughlin Mem.
1953 Randleman; Kernersville
1954 Shady Grove; Cox Chapel

TATUM, ELMO CHATTMAN
1937 In School
1943 Summerfield; Collins Grove
1945 In School
1946 Southern Pines
1947 Prof. Philander Smith College
1948 Chaplain; Arkansas State College
1949 No record of appt. Chaplain U. S. Army

SHUFORD, JOHN W.
1915 Goldsboro; New Bern
1916 Lenoir Ct.
1917 W. Asheville; Henderson
1918 Waynesville; W. Ashford
1919 Laurendale; Flat Rock
1920 Newton; Conover
1924 Gastonia
1925 Marion; St. James
1928 Greensboro; East
1935 Greensboro; South
1954 Mt. Tabor

SIMPSON, I. GRANTHAM
1947 Charlotte; Mt. Holly; Boulware Chapel
1949 Leaksville
1954 S. Greensboro
1956 Trans. Washington Conf.

SIMPSON, JOHN W.
1933 Lexington
1934 Thomasville
1935 Greensboro; Northwest
1942 Retired
Died 7-10-43

SKEEN, DAVID C.
1907 High St.; Basses
1910 Machpelah
1913 Reidsville Ct.
1914 Asheboro; Mitchell
1917 South High Point
1921 East Thomasville
1922 Newport News
1923 Rockingham; Philadelphia
1925 Mt. Zion
1926 Bowmore; Mt. Zion
1930 Elkin; Jonesville
1931 Elkin; Jonesboro
1935 Madison; Rock Hill
1939 Elkin
1941 King's Mountain
1943 Retired
1944 Randleman
1947 Warren St.
1953 Philadelphia

STATON, BEVERLY E.
1927 Pen Hook
1930 Forest City
1932 Lowesville; McPheeler; St. James
1933 Lowesville; McPheeler
1934 Lowesville; Tucker
1937 Empire Ct.
1940 Randleman
1944 Jonesville; Elkin
1947 Elkin
1948 Catawba
Died 5-28-50

TAYLOR, PRINCE A., JR.,
1929 In School
1931 Kernersville; New Bethel
1932 Northwest
1933 Greensboro; Northwest
1935 Thomasville
1938 In School
1941 Instructor; Bennett Col.
1943 Dept. Religious Educa.; Gammon Seminary
1948 Editor; Central Christian Advocate
1956 Elected Bishop

THOMAS, BENJAMIN F.
1893 Yadkin
1894 E. Greensboro
1896 Center; Julian
1898 Summerfield
1900 Rowland; Salem
1902 Hamlet
1903 Madison
1905 Lowesville
1907 Forest City; Bracketown
1909 Wentworth
1913 Lenoir
1914 Wilkesboro
1919 Trinity; Liberty
1921 Walnut Cove
1923 Madison Ct.
1924 Randleman; St. Mark
1925 Asheboro Ct.
1926 Mt. Airy Ct.
1927 Advance
1929 Kernersville
1931 Midway; Chestnut Grove
1932 Sanford Ct.
1933 Charlotte; Mission
1934 Goldsboro
1935 Retired

THOMAS, D. L.
1914 Lenoir
1916 West Asheville
1917 Leaksville; Shady Grove
1918 West Raleigh
1922 Oxford, Bullocks
1924 Red Springs
1926 Lumberton
1929 Thomasville
1934 Winston-Salem; Bellview; Mt. Pleasant
1935 West Asheville
1937 Newport News
1939 Trinity; Glenola
1941 Philadelphia; New Zion
1942 Sanford Ct.
1943 Retired

THOMAS, W. O.
1910 Jefferson
1911 Marion; Old Fort
1914 Trinity; Liberty
1916 In School
1917 Suwanee
1918 Fort Street
1919 Covington
1920 Hogansville; Corinth
1922 Supt. Rome District
1923 Oak Hill
1924 Sweet Home
1926 Leave of Absence
1927 Sweet Home
1928 Center Point
1932 Van Buren
1933 New Edinburg
1934 McGehee
1937 Montgomery; Metropolitan
1938 Lafayette
1940 Hamlet
1943 Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1945 Secretary of Evangelism
1946 Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1947 Madison
1949 Retired
Died 3-6-50

TOWNSHIP, SAMUEL L.
1940 Philadelphia; New Zion
1941 Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1943 Greensboro; Northwest
1944 Wilmington
1945 Reidsville
1948 Lenoir

WALLS, WILLIAM R.
1950 Charlotte; Boulware Chapel
1952 Philadelphia; Hoffman
1953 Greensboro; Laughlins
1954 Withdrew from the Methodist Church

WEATHERBY, R. T.
1901 Sec. YMCA, Tennessee
1908 Murfreesboro
1910 Nashville
1912 Greensboro; St. Matthews
1918 YMCA Work—U. S. Army
1922 Evangelist; Bd. of Missions
1923 Field Asst.; Sec. Bd., Home Missions and Ch. Ext.
1924 Greensboro; St. Matthews
Died 7-21-40

WEBB, PRINCE WILLIAM
1900 Ft. Smith, Arkansas
1902 Van Buren
1903 Little Rock
1910 Union Grove
1911 Marvel
1912 Fayetteville
1913 In School
1915 Lonoke; Richwood
1917 Hot Springs

1918 ..... Hunter
1921 ..... Forest City; Widener Msn.
1922 ..... Brinkley Ct.
1923 ..... Leave of Absence
1925 ..... Indiana Harbor
1926 ..... Porter
1927 ..... Eufaula
1929 ..... Davis Ct.
1930 ..... St. James
1931 ..... Supt. Marion District
1933 ..... Little Rock
1934 ..... Ft. Gibson
1935 ..... Shawnee Ct.
1937 ..... Nashville Ct.
1938 ..... New Edinburg
1939 ..... Danville Ct.
1940 ..... Paroloma
1941 ..... Johns; Beaver Dam
1943 ..... Shelby
1944 ..... Ramseur
1948 ..... Lowesville

WELLS, JOHN W.
1899 ..... Raleigh
1900 ..... Hickory; Newton
1901 ..... Lenoir
1903 ..... Forest City
1904 ..... In School
1906 ..... West Asheville
1907 ..... Maxton
1909 ..... High Point
1913 ..... Leaksville
1916 ..... Reidsville
1918 ..... Nashville; Braden
1920 ..... Supt. Murfreesboro Dist.
1922 ..... Marshall, Texas
1925 ..... New Orleans; Mt. Zion
1926 ..... New Orleans; Trinity
1927 ..... Shreveport
1929 ..... Mobile, Alabama
1930 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1931 ..... Charlotte
1933 ..... Winston-Salem; Belview
Died 6-18-34 Mt. Pleasant

WELLS, PINKNEY
1908 ..... Advance; Wesley; Mocksville
1909 ..... South High Point
1911 ..... Mt. Airy
1915 ..... Mt. Zion; Bomore
1917 ..... Lexington; Thomasville
1924 ..... Greensboro; East
1927 ..... Leaksville
1929 ..... Hickory
1931 ..... Maxton; Piney Grove
1936 ..... Reidsville; Wesley Chapel
1940 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1946 ..... Greensboro; N. West
1947 ..... Greensboro; Browning
1948 ..... Mt. Carmel; Mt. Tabor
Died 1954

WILLIAMS, D. ARTHUR
1909 ..... Franklin
1910 ..... Lenoir Ct.
1911 ..... Salisbury; Morning Star
1912 ..... Wilmington
1913 ..... Goldsboro; New Bern
1915 ..... Lanes Chapel; St. Johns
1916 ..... Lincolnton; Cherryville
1919 ..... Supernumerary
1939 ..... Boone
1940 ..... Mooresboro
1941 ..... Hunters; Cornelius
1942 ..... Wingate
1944 ..... Bracket Town
1945 ..... Charlotte Boulware
1946 ..... Boulware; Monroe
1947 ..... Goldsboro
1950 ..... Retired

WINCHESTER, ROBERT W.
1901 ..... W. Asheville
1903 ..... Reidsville; Danville
1908 ..... Leaksville
1910 ..... Greensboro; St. Matthews
1912 ..... Supt. Winston District
1918 ..... Greensboro; St. Matthews
1924 ..... Lexington; Thomasville
1925 ..... Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1929 ..... Supt. Western District
1931 ..... Supt. Greensboro District
1935 ..... High Point; St. Marks
1941 ..... Supt. Greensboro District
1945 ..... Retired
1953 ..... Summerfield; Collins

WOODLAND, HORACE C.
1934 ..... In School
1935 ..... Dept. Religious Education Morristown College
1936 ..... Boston College
1937 ..... Winston-Salem St. Paul Asst.
1942 ..... Mt. Airy
1945 ..... Director of Youth and Religious Education
1946 ..... Conf. Youth Counselor
1947 ..... Raleigh
1948 ..... Supernumerary

WOOTTEN, Thomas H.
1931 ..... In School
1932 ..... Newport News
1934 ..... Ramseur
1936 ..... Greensboro; East
1937 ..... Statesville; Philadelphia
1940 ..... Gastonia
1941 ..... Hickory
1946 ..... Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1955 ..... Supt. Western Dist.
1949 ..... Lumberton
1951 ..... Charlotte

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W.S.C.S.—Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets — Greensboro District

Charge and Church	Name of Pastor	Church Membership: Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Rec'd. on Profession of Faith and Restored	Rec'd. by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarterly Conference	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Baptisms: Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	Baptisms: All Others: Children, Youth, Adults	Prepatory Members Now on Roll	Church Schools: Church School Membership: Officers and Teachers	Child. Div. 0-11 Years: Nursery Home Members	Child. Div. 0-11 Years: Children (Exclude Col. 14)	Youth Division 12-23 Years	Adult Div. 24 Yrs. and Over: Adult-Home Members	Adult Div. 24 Yrs. and Over: Adults (Exclude Col. 17)	Total (Add 13-18 Inclusive)	Attendance: Avg. Attend. Sun. Sch. (All Ages)	Avg. Attend. Sun. Evening Fellowship	Avg. Attend. Add. Meetings: Children	Youth	Older Adults
Basses and Raleigh Circuit	Eugene Black	322	2	2	3	5				318	7	2	6	23		140	80		49	292	56	35	30	35	24
Brown Summit Circuit	W. T. Lomax	215	5		2				4	217	3	4	7	21		29	39		44	137	85				
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove	T. C. Tarpley	44				2				46	8		8	8	18		14	1		45	25				
Durham	D. E. Moore	25	7		3					35			5	6		60	10		6	76	50				
Empire Circuit	F. D. Morehead	147							1	146				15	50		25		20	110	80				
Greensboro:																									
Browning Chapel	Clinton Armstrong	78	2			1				79	2			6		15	12	25		58	25	17			
Saint Matthews	J. E. Brower	639	7	7	6	7	6	7	8	643	9	121	121	22	66	94	63	44	244	494	289	65	53	61	26
Mount Tabor	J. W. Shuford	70	1	1	1				1	72	1	1	9	8		20	15		25	84	60				
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster	389		3	4					418	14	20	50	30		60	70	50	45	204	180	80			
Union Memorial	W. T. Brown	222	8	1	3			1	3	230	4	3	12	14		51	17		16	98	80	10			
Warren St.-Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell	226	3		3			27	3	196	3	15	18	18						160	70				70
Kernersville	W. N. Napper	137				2		1	3	133		2	6	24		26	20		11	81	33			14	
Laughlins	G. H. Caldwell	189	4		4				1	192	10		39	29	60	30	60	75		254	65	40		28	25
Mt. Zion	J. H. Minor	10								10				4					10	10	10				
Newport News	W. S. Berry	186								186				15			30		40	85	53	20			
Oxford	J. W. Gwynn	155	2		11	3			5	160	6	13	59	15	55		60	40		170	130	30			
Raleigh	C. L. Gidney	168	6	2	2			3	8	168	14	8	68	18	38	14	19	6	3	98	64	18	16	18	7
Randleman	I. C. Spinks	100								100	4		22	9		18	39	1	11	78	62	40	15	30	19
Reidsville	Beverly Brown	182		3					2	183			12	8		20	12		25	65	75				40
Saint James	W. N. Johnson	48	2			3			1	45		2		17		20			22	76	25				
Saint Peters	R. M. Martin	100								100				9		18	39	1	11	78	62	40	15	30	19
Summerfield	R. W. Winchester	132	5	2				1	3	127	5	7	27	10		31	45	25		112	51	30	18	12	14
Wesley and Chapel Hill	W. E. Hairston	345	18						7	356	3	15	12	18		65	41		32	146	112			22	14
Leaksville	J. D. Ashford	205	1						2	204		1		15	21	89	35	50		138	120	12			12
Total		4334	73	21	39	23	6	40	51	4364	93	214	481	362	308	800	745	318	614	3185	1862	437	147	250	270

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS — GENERAL INFORMATION						W. S. C. S.			Methodist Men				PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS			
		Number of Church Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Weekday Schools	Church School Members Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Lesson Mat'ls. Approved by The Methodist Church	Ch. School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.	Number of Societies (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Membership (Including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups	Membership	Number "Together" Subscriptions	Number of Organized Churches	Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Blds., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses
Basses and Raleigh Circuit	Eugene Black	2	160		3	Yes	125	2	55	190	1	30	15	2	$ 80,000	$	$	$
Brown Summit Circuit	W. T. Lomax	3				Yes		3	35	30		35		3	45,000			
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove	T. C. Tarpley		2			Yes	48	2	15		2	22			50,000			
Durham	D. E. Moore					Yes		1	15	50		8		1	25,000			9,000
Empire Circuit	F. D. Morehead	3	20			Yes	60	2	15	8			14	3	85,000	2,000		
Greensboro:																		
Browning Chapel	Clinton Armstrong					Yes		1	12						16,000			
Saint Matthews	J. E. Brower	1	272	34	7	Yes	125	1	279	1,200	1	56	68	1	155,000	15,000	11,000	2,300
Mount Tabor	J. W. Shuford	1	70			Yes	7	1	50			20		1	35,000			6,000
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster	3			18	Yes		3	100	2,000				3	30,000		25,000	400
Union Memorial	W. T. Brown	1	50		8	Yes	71	1	56	526		25	21	1	60,000	2,000		4,629
Warren St.-Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell	2				Yes	60	2	50			20		2	70,000	6,000		1,845
Kernersville	W. N. Napper	3				Yes	17	1	29	190			12	1	12,000			
Laughlins	G. H. Caldwell	2	96			Yes	150	2	52	300	2	32		2	45,000	2,500	1,700	750
Mt. Zion	J. H. Minor	1				Yes								1				
Newport News	W. S. Berry	2		70		Yes		2	24	100				2	33,000			
Oxford	J. W. Gwynn	3			4	Yes	40	2	20					3	55,000	10,000		8,000
Raleigh	C. L. Gidney	1	98		8	Yes	183	1	42	250		20		1	55,000	10,000		12,000
Randleman	I. C. Spinks	1		3		Yes		1	13	400		6	6	1	14,000			1,340
Reidsville	Beverly Brown	1				Yes	125	1	30	100			2	1	85,000	12,039		3,400
Saint James	W. N. Johnson	2	15			Yes		1	15	125	1	6	6	2	25,000			800
Saint Peters	R. M. Martin	1		3		Yes		1	13	400				1	24,000	800		2,800
Summerfield	R. W. Winchester	2			7	Yes	50	2	25		1	17	10	2	20,000			
Wesley and Chapel Hill	W. E. Hairston	2				Yes	30	2	55	625			2	2	35,000		450	5,000
Leaksville	J. D. Ashford	2				Yes	8	2	19	200	1	20		2	38,000	4,000		376
Total		43	783	110	55	Yes	1,099	37	1,019	6,494	9	317	156	38	1,218,000	$ 64,339	$ 39,150	$ 58,640

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP												CHURCH SCHOOLS											
											Baptisms				CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP							ATTENDANCE				
															Child. Div. 0–11 Years				Adult Div. 24 Yrs. and Over					Avg. Attend. Add. Meetings		
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Bolton	E. M. McLeod	45	4		1					50	3	2	5	6		20	10	10	40	21	10		10	30	
Charlotte:																									
Boulware Memorial		12								12															
Simpson Memorial	C. E. Strickland	250	5	16	1			1	3	268	3	1	60	16	25	35	15	40	11	103	75		16		
Fairmont	Walter Davis	30	2					1	1	30			5	4		6	4		6	20	12				
Fayetteville	R. B. McRae	212	27		9			3		271	22		41	15	25	40	27	14	20	141	105	15		25	
Goldsboro	O. M. Graham	40	3							40				8		5	8		10		31	20		3	4
Hamlet	Marshall McCallum	147	7						1	153	7		52	9	17	63	8		16	113	60				
Hickory Bend	J. W. McRae, Sr.	20	2					1	1	22				5		10	10		9	34	20				
Hoffman	John McEachin	40								40	3		15	5	4	10	8		11	38	30	6	7		
Johns-Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum	280	16		2			7	10	280	22	9	56	21	21	32	27	26	12	139	78	17	25	34	38
Laurinburg	J. E. Hogue	275	7		3	3		1	1	284	20		80	10	30	28	50		23	192	98	22	28	22	38
Laurinburg Circuit	Miles Murphy	192	1		1	1		1	4	184	13	9	34	17	18	38	24	11	24	132	101	25	19	27	
Lumberton	D. H. McLean	145	16					2	5	154	3		20	14	10	30	30		20	104	60	15			
Maxton-Beauty Spot	J. W. Ferree	300	15	2					4	315	21	3	93	25	26	72	54	15	48	308	179	102	30	27	45
Millers	M. W. Cooper	60	3							63			5	8		20	12	10		40					
New Zion-Mount Zion	B. F. Gleaves	198	11		4	3		2	7	198			29	25		58	30		29	142	100				
Pembroke-Southern Pines	E. C. Campbell	12	3							15				4		3	6		4	19					
Philadelphia	D. C. Skeen	165	5						4	166			5	6		47	14		6	73	57				
Red Springs	I. A. Friend	193	12		1				4	202	1	25	8	14	15		40		25	100	70	35	31	17	50
Rowland and Salem	J. F. Sawyer	315	20					1	4	330	15		25	20		105	45		30	200	140		70	35	
Saint Marks	John Monroe	16	1							17				5		6	4	5		20	18				
Saint Peters	J. W. McRae, Jr.	25	3	1						29	10	4	14	9	30		14	10		63	40				
Sandford Circuit	J. L. Alford	142	5		1				1	147	6		6	13		25	26		46	110	61		25	18	38
Wilmington	John S. Mills	16			5			21		36			4	7	4	16			12	39	24				8
Total		3130	169	19	28	7		41	50	3306	149	53	557	266	225	671	465	141	402	1951	1369	257	261	238	221

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Bolton	E. M. McLeod				1	Yes	15							1	$ 2,000	$	$	$
Charlotte:																		
Boulware Memorial															5,000			
Simpson Memorial	C. E. Strickland	1	50		3	Yes		1	60	110	2	70		1	60,000	10,000	12,000	
Fairmont	Walter Davis	1				Yes								1	2,500			
Fayetteville	R. B. McRae	1			5	Yes	243	1	30	400	1	20		1	12,000	15,000	15,000	8,000
Goldsboro	O. M. Graham	1				Yes	12	1	8	20				1	15,000			
Hamlet	Marshall McCallum					Yes	106	1	75	200	1	20		1	50,000	5,000		
Hickory Bend	J. W. McRae, Sr.	1				Yes									2,000			
Hoffman	John McEachin	1	14			Yes								1	12,000	5,000		800
Johns-Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum	2	63		16	Yes	52	2	34	140	1	10	2	2	30,000			
Laurinburg	J. E. Hogue	2	45		6	Yes	155	2	35	268	1	30	4	2	60,000	12,000		2,400
Laurinburg Circuit	Miles Murphy	2	68		9	Yes	5	2	20		1	10		2	20,000			
Lumberton	D. H. McLean	1			15	Yes		1	20	60		25	8	1	41,000	9,500	700	
Maxton-Beauty Spot	J. W. Ferree	2	225		10	Yes	168	2	40	299	2	36	24	2	37,500	4,800		
Millers	M. W. Cooper	1												1	4,000			
New Zion-Mo. nt Zion	B. F. Gleaves	2				Yes		31	40	90				2	30,000		250	300
Pembr ke-Southern Pines	E. C. Campbell	2				Yes								2	3,000			
Phil de., hia	D. C. Skeen	1	60	67	5	Yes	20	1	20	50	1	12		1	5,000	3,039		
Red Springs	I. A. Friend	1	200	60	10	Yes		1	40		1	40	8	1	60,000	4,500		
Rowland and Salem	J. F. Sawyer	2	100			Yes		2	70	374	2	30		2	18,000	5,000		
Saint Marks	John Monroe	1					6							1	1,000			
Saint Peters	J. W. McRae, Jr.													1	3,000			
Sandford Circuit	J. L. Alford	3				Yes		3	40	185		22		3	30,000		2,800	
Wilmington	John S. Mills	1	115			Yes		1	8	75		3		1			400	
Total		29	940	127	80	Yes	782	52	540	2,261	13	328	46	31	$493,000	$ 73,839	$ 31,150	$ 11,500

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W.S.C.S.—Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets — Western District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP												CHURCH SCHOOLS										
											Baptisms				CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP							ATTENDANCE				
															Child. Div. 0–11 Years				Adult Div. 24 Yrs. and Over					Avg. Attend. Add. Meetings		
		Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Rec'd. on Profession of Faith and Restored	Rec'd. by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarterly Conference	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	All Others: Children, Youth, Adults	Prepatory Members Now on Roll	Officers and Teachers	Nursery Home Members	Children (Exclude Col. 14)	Youth Division 12-23 Years	Adult-Home Members	Adults (Exclude Col. 17)	Total (Add 13-18 Inclusive)	Avg. Attend. Sun. Sch. (All Ages)	Avg. Attend. Sun. Evening Fellowship	Children	Youth	Older Adults
Asheville	L. A. Brown	238	1	1	2	1				241	3		37	9	3	29	11	7	39	98	68	6			11
Brooks and Philadelphia	S. B. McBrayer	270	5						4	271	4	12	10	20	3	20	30	3	40	116	70			38	
Catawba Circuit	T. D. McCorkle	135	2						2	135	3		5	18	20		60	30		128	100	40	03		
Forest City	E. N. Mattison	279				8			6	281	15	11	22	10	23	44	40	10	15	142	81				
Franklin	A. E. Robinson, Jr.	14								14															
Gastonia and Bessemer	J. T. Jones	97	52	2					2	151	7	16	65	19	10	43	41		24	118	71			10	
Hickory-Conover	R. D. Sharpe	285	9	1	5				2	307	12	11	14	16	26	48	38	28	13	169	115	48	25	28	82
Kings Mountain	F. F. McCallum	200	6			6			1	211	13		38	12		47	40		23	102	80			3	
Lenoir	S. L. Townsend	380	2		2			1	2	381	14	2	120	24	28	135	33	8	37	255	125	40	100	32	14
Lincolnton	C. O. Hill	150	3		1				2	152	12	12	35	20	55	20	31	24	25	175	100	54	50		25
Lowesville	A. W. Stowe	163	6		1				3	167	6	50	41	34	20	19	49	8	103	170	130	112	50	49	103
Marion	D. S. Harkness	102				2			2	96	10		12	8	10	45	22		12	97	60	16		18	35
Mooresville Circuit	G. W. Patterson	232	4		1			2	2	223	6		39	15	25	60	50		20	170	80	15		20	15
Mt. Holly and Hunters	Bert J. Dula	130	10		1					140	21		45	16	25	10	35	18		145	110	25	28	35	17
Newton and Granite Falls	B. L. Burge	164	5		1					168	10		67	14		36	41		29	120	60				
Old Fort																									
Shelby Circuit	J. Q. Dula	135	8			3		12	4	124			31	12		27	22		18	79	58				5
Stanley and St. Paul	R. H. McDowell	71	3							74		1		10	20		16	23		69	34	8			
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey	163	22		3				2	186		62	62	22	54		50	37		163	120				
West Asheville	O. S. Davenport	30							4	26	2		12	7		10	10		15	42	37			23	
Wilkesboro Circuit	M. S. Laughlin	132	17						3	149	3	26	9	24	12	33	60		40	172	90				
Total		3370	155	4	17	20		15	41	3497	141	203	664	310	334	326	679	196	453	2530	1589	364	256	256	307

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS — GENERAL INFORMATION						W. S. C. S.			Methodist Men				PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS			
		Number of Church Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Weekday Schools	Church School Members Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Lesson Mat'ls. Approved by The Methodist Church	Ch. School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.	Number of Societies (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Membership (Including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups	Membership	Number "Together" Subscriptions	Number of Organized Churches	Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Blds., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses
Asheville	L. A. Brown	1			11	Yes		1	71	470	1	13		1	$ 70,000	$ 15,000	$	$ 4,385
Brooks and Philadelphia	S. B. McBrayer	2		200	3	Yes	4	2	88	200	1	25	8	2	45,000	1,500		7,408
Catawba Circuit	T. D. McCorkle	4				Yes	25	4	36		1	12	12	4	25,000	1,000	2,500	1,600
Forest City	E. N. Mattison	1			11	Yes	20	1	20	35				1	50,000	15,000	800	3,000
Franklin	A. E. Robinson, Jr.							1	11					1	3,000	2,000		
Gastonia and Bessemer	J. T. Jones	2	70		10	Yes	44	1	9	112				2	35,000	15,600		2,816
Hickory-Conover	R. D Sharpe	2	120		9	Yes	110	2	65	160		41		2	80,000	12,000		
Kings Mountain	F. F. McCallum	2			6	Yes	40	2	40	350			6	2	4,000	200		2,000
Lenoir	S. L. Townsend	2	100		35	Yes	25	1	40	48	1	14		2	40,000	25,000		3,000
Lincolnton	C. O. Hill	3				Yes		1	40	316		5	1	3	29,000	4,000	18,000	
Lowesville	A. W. Stowe	4	165	7	3	Yes		4	56	44		86	10	4	25,000			325
Marion	D. S. Harkness	1				Yes	25	1	45	265				1	20,000	8,000		
Mooresville Circuit	G. W. Patterson	3				Yes		3	25		1	10		4	35,000	500		3,752
Mt. Holly and Hunters	Bert J. Dula	2	55		5	Yes	40	2	25	450		15	15	2	6,000			400
Newton and Granite Falls	B. L. Burge	2	105		4	Yes		2	40					2	35,000	10,000	1,000	1,500
Old Fort																		
Shelby Circuit	J. Q. Dula	2	172		8	Yes	87	2	52	60	1	16		2	22,000	5,000		
Stanley and St. Paul	R. H. McDowell	2				Yes		2	24					2	10,000			
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey	3			2	Yes		2	36					4	38,000	3,000		9,700
West Asheville	O. S. Davenport					Yes								1	20,000	1,000		
Wilkesboro Circuit	M. S. Laughlin	2	40		8	Yes	25	2	40	400	1	15		2	50,000	6,000		
Total		40	827	207	115	Yes	445	36	763	2,910	7	252	52	44	$642,000	$124,800	$ 22,300	$ 39,886

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W.S.C.S.—Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets — Winston District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP												CHURCH SCHOOLS											
											Baptisms			CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP							ATTENDANCE				
															Child. Div. 0–11 Years			Adult Div. 24 Yrs. and Over					Avg. Attend. Add. Meetings		
		Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Rec'd. on Profession of Faith and Restored	Rec'd. by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarterly Conference	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	All Others: Children, Youth, Adults	Prepatory Members Now on Roll	Officers and Teachers	Nursery Home Members	Children (Exclude Col. 14)	Youth Division 12-23 Years	Adult-Home Members	Adults (Exclude Col. 17)	Total (Add 13-18 Inclusive)	Avg. Attend. Sun. Sch. (All Ages)	Avg. Attend. Sun. Evening Fellowship	Children	Youth	Older Adults
Advance	H. A. Smith	56	1	....	1	....	....	1	2	55	....	1	3	3	....	3	5	10	....	21	18	....	....	....	....
Asheboro	O. W. Burwick	221	6	....	....	....	....	1	....	227	9	....	23	16	25	44	37	....	46	168	90	15	11	20	60
Elkin-Jonesville	Joseph B. Bethea	205	1	....	1	1	....	1	3	202	2	1	49	20	....	42	39	....	59	160	125	25	....	30	....
High Point:																									
Brooks Memorial	W. S. McLeod	213	2	....	2	....	....	....	....	217	7	5	7	12	7	45	35	2	33	134	92	40	25	16	75
Saint Mark	J. J. Patterson	360	3	....	....	1	....	....	1	361	13	3	77	16	17	29	34	16	14	126	85	21	7	14	11
Lexington and Midway	G. A. Brooks	226	25	....	....	....	....	....	2	249	16	3	19	32	19	106	51	....	45	253	198	45	89	60	30
Madison	B. W. Stewart	321	22	3	2	6	....	2	3	337	24	15	39	26	10	60	50	....	80	226	160	43	....	20	12
Mitchell	E. J. Jones	7	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	5	....	3	4	....	11	23	16	....	....	....	....
Mount Airy-Pilot Mt.	W. P. Cole	84	4	....	....	....	....	....	3	85	5	3	44	12	13	22	15	....	16	76	60	12	5	11	10
Penhook Circuit	C. G. Bynum	214	8	....	....	....	....	....	3	219	....	....	19	15	10	16	20	8	10	80	58	....	....	....	....
Oak Grove Circuit	P. G. Carter	151	3	2	....	....	....	....	3	168	5	3	27	30	....	59	74	....	61	216	127	57	35	50	22
Thomasville:																									
East	J. W. Jones	115	3	....	....	4	....	....	2	112	4	8	15	9	5	15	20	8	32	89	68	15	....	....	....
Saint Johns	W. J. Cameron	181	16	1	....	....	....	....	3	200	3	....	12	14	20	36	30	....	15	100	69	20	40	....	50
Trinity Circuit	J. F. Campbell	155	2	....	....	....	....	....	1	156	5	....	29	20	....	73	59	....	41	157	105	....	....	....	....
Winston-Salem:																									
Mt. Pleasant	Wm. R. Crawford	133	3	....	2	....	....	....	1	137	6	....	5	7	....	10	20	....	15	52	40	9	....	25	35
St. Andrews-Walnut Cove	H. W. Phillips	356	16	7	2	....	....	....	3	373	2	....	10	10	....	90	25	....	15	140	80	20	....	15	10
Saints Home	R. F. McCallum	160	6	1	....	....	....	2	2	163	....	5	10	24	....	23	19	10	50	126	80	18	10	12	15
Saint Paul	W. C. L. Scarborough	712	17	2	1	....	....	....	7	725	6	....	81	15	17	35	31	12	47	157	89	20	10	12	12
Jones Temple-Chestnut Grove	Otto Withers	13	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	13	....	....	9	6	....	20	9	2	4	41	20	....	....	....	....
Total		3883	100	16	11	12	....	7	39	4008	107	47	476	292	141	695	577	68	594	2345	1584	360	223	285	342

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W.S.C.S.—Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets — Winston District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS — GENERAL INFORMATION: Number of Church Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Weekday Schools	Church School Members Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Lesson Mat'ls. Approved by The Methodist Church	Ch. School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.	W. S. C. S.: Number of Societies (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Membership (Including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Methodist Men: Number Chartered Groups	Membership	Number "Together" Subscriptions	Number of Organized Churches	PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS: Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Blds., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses
Advance	H. A. Smith	1			1	Yes	20	1	12	120				1	$ 4,500	$ 2,500	$ 100	$ 180
Asheboro	O. W. Burwick	2	105		5	Yes	150	1	43	231	1	40	11	2	11,000	15,000	3,000	5,240
Elkin-Jonesville	Joseph B. Bethea	3	58			Yes		3	36		2	22		4	75,000	8,500	900	13,778
High Point:																		
Brooks Memorial	W. S. McLeod	1	90	15	2	Yes	30	1	85	1,015		38	47	1	75,000			7,631
Saint Mark	J. J. Patterson	1	63	16	1	Yes	27	1	100	624	1	31	13	1	100,000	15,000		450
Lexington and Midway	G. A. Brooks	2	202	5	20	Yes	182	2	80	455	1	65		2	60,000	9,500	6,009	4,800
Madison	B. W. Stewart	4	85	90	12	Yes	30	3	80	100	1	40	18	4	75,000	6,000	2,000	2,000
Mitchell	E. J. Jones	1		7		Yes	10							1	2,000			
Mount Airy-Pilot Mt.	W. P. Cole	2	18	18	4	Yes	150	2	27		2	24	11	2	11,000	8,000		
Penhook Circuit	C. G. Bynum	3			8	Yes		3	32	850				3	22,000			
Oak Grove Circuit	P. G. Carter	3			3	Yes	79	2	45	108				4	38,000			
Thomasville:																		
East	J. W. Jones	2	85		7	Yes	125	2	60	215		20		2	60,000			7,500
Saint Johns	W. J. Cameron	1	120		12	Yes	80	2	115	500	1	37	18	1	75,000	10,000		6,000
Trinity Circuit	J. F. Campbell	3			2	Yes		3	22	90	1	30		3	31,000			
Winston-Salem:																		
Mt. Pleasant	Wm. R. Crawford	1			1	Yes	25	1	32	270	1	20		1	40,000	5,500		900
St. Andrews-Walnut Cove	H. W. Phillips	2	150		10	Yes	60	2	50		1	25		2	95,000	10,000		24,000
Saints Home	R. F. McCallum	1	72		4	Yes	50	1	50	100	1	20		1	50,000			11,000
Saint Paul	W. C. L. Scarborough	1	82	29	5	Yes	181	1	172	948	1	24	51	1	100,000	15,000	8,000	
Jones Temple-Chestnut Grove	Otto Withers	1				Yes		1	4	65				1	8,000			
Total		35	1,130	180	97	Yes	1,199	32	1,045	5,691	14	436	169	37	$932,500	$105,000	$ 20,009	$ 83,479

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences — Greensboro District

Charge and Church	Name of Pastor	Expenditures for Local Church: Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Ministerial Support: Pastors and Associate Pastors: Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) at Beginning this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate's, Travel and Expense Funds	District Superintendent's Fund: Apportioned	Paid	Episcopal Fund: Apportioned	Paid	Conference Claimant's Fund: Apportioned	Paid	Connectional Fund: General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. and Dist. Administration	Interdenom. Cpn. Fnd.: Apportioned	Paid
Basses-Raleigh	Eugene Black	$.....	$ 500	$ 275	$ 260	$.....	$ 2,000	$ 115	$ 2,115	$ 260	$.....	$ 288	$.....	$ 40	$.....	$ 300	$ 15	$ 39	$...	$ 8
Brown Summit Circuit	W. T. Lomax	.....	300	200	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	.....	140	.....	18	.....	130	8	33	....	5
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove	T. C. Tarpley	402	542	22	20	.....	1,050	25	1,025	.....	.....	100	.....	6	.....	35	4	16	....	5
Durham	D. E. Moore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Empire Circuit	T. D. Morehead	.....	157	.....	57	.....	850	.....	850	.....	.....	120	.....	14	.....	90	7	30	....	8
Greensboro:																				
Browning Chapel	Clinton Armstrong	.....	634	.....	400	.....	400	.....	400	.....	.....	150	.....	28	.....	210	5	17	....	3
Mount Tabor	J. W. Shuford	986	197	615	88	.....	800	.....	800	.....	.....	112	.....	16	.....	120	3	11	....	3
Saint Matthews	J. E. Brower	840	1,462	4,640	843	.....	3,800	132	3,932	200	520	520	.....	76	.....	570	18	46	....	9
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster	2,300	2,900	400	400	.....	2,000	500	2,500	.....	270	270	.....	41	.....	300	18	40	....	8
Union Memorial	W. T. Brown	2,145	400	800	111	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	1,120	300	300	.....	40	...	300	15	58	....	8
Warren St.-Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell	.....	1,946	1,074	110	.....	2,000	120	2,120	300	300	300	.....	40	.....	253	8	38	....	8
Kernersville	W. N. Napper	.....	1,600	275	58	.....	935	.....	935	100	.....	134	.....	11	.....	70	9	27	....	6
Laughlins	G. H. Caldwell	.....	766	500	225	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	200	.....	228	.....	31	.....	225	7	6	....	8
Leaksville	J. D. Ashford	153	200	2,122	95	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	59	.....	270	.....	23	.....	190	2	3	....	8
Mt. Zion	J. H. Minor	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	200	19	219	.....	.....	20	.....	4	.....	30	2	8	....	2
Pleasant Ridge-Newport News	W. S. Berry	1,560	.....	.....	60	.....	1,800	.....	1,800	.....	.....	200	.....	40	.....	200	4	.....	....	4
Oxford	J. W. Gwynn	1,728	300	239	150	.....	2,300	.....	2,300	.....	.....	251	.....	40	.....	220	8	18	....	....
Raleigh	C. L. Gidney	2,176	3,000	1,244	148	.....	2,685	137	2,822	.....	300	300	.....	26	.....	190	15	25	....	3
Randleman	I. C. Spinks	830	9	169	146	.....	400	.....	400	.....	.....	42	.....	6	.....	45	3	8	....	2
Saint James	U. N. Johnson	428	250	175	300	.....	580	.....	580	150	.....	70	.....	11	.....	82	7	12	....	2
Reidsville	Beverly Brown	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	360	.....	40	.....	225	15	11	....	7
Saint Peters	R. M. Martin	1,500	1,400	300	130	.....	420	.....	420	100	.....	58	.....	8	.....	60	3	20	....	2
Summerfield	R. W. Winchester	.....	1,050	450	180	.....	720	.....	720	25	.....	100	.....	14	.....	108	6	4	....	2
Wesley and Chapel Hill	W. E. Hairston	.....	545	189	142	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	.....	260	.....	25	.....	289	....	12	....	....
Total		$15,048	$18,149	$13,689	$ 3,933	$.....	$ 31,940	$1,048	$ 32,938	$2,514	$ 1,690	$ 4,593	$.....	$ 598	$.....	$ 4,242	$182	$ 482	$...	$111

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences — Greensboro District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																				
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences												Conference Benevolences								
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W.S.C.S. (incl. W.S.G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treas.	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Hospitals	Conference Advanced Specials	Church School Rally Day	Reserve Pension Fund	Conference Cultivation	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total
Basses-Raleigh	Eugene Black	$ 430	$ 430	$ 430	$ 11	$...	$...	$...	$...	$ 9	$...	$...	$...	$ 165	$...	$...	$ 110	$ 15	$ 400	$ 150	$ 29	$ 5,170
Brown Summit Circuit	W. T. Lomax	...	...	115	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	...	...	15	4	50	15	18	2,106
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove	T. C. Tarpley	83	...	51	...	...	...	...	...	75	5	...	...	30	...	...	42	...	114	44	16	2,554
Durham	D. E. Moore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Empire Circuit	T. D. Morehead	...	...	90	14	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	77	25	30	1,621
Greensboro:																						
Browning Chapel	Clinton Armstrong	150	150	150	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	51	...	...	64	5	175	...	16	2,308
Mount Tabor	J. W. Shuford	77	77	77	...	...	7	7	...	29	6	...	7	60	...	...	25	5	175	45	7	3,401
Saint Matthews	J. E. Brower	990	990	990	22	...	...	...	...	260	...	5	25	360	...	...	200	20	1,005	200	228	16,471
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster	280	250	280	...	...	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	78	18	369	110	67	10,159
Union Memorial	W. T. Brown	430	430	430	...	...	...	...	...	66	...	10	5	103	...	...	107	...	400	150	55	8,623
Warren St.-Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell	328	328	328	11	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	133	...	...	80	8	452	100	54	7,365
Kernersville	W. N. Napper	100	100	55	...	...	5	...	...	44	...	...	3	54	...	...	40	...	57	40	47	3,570
Laughlins	G. H. Caldwell	...	...	229	...	...	...	...	...	56	...	...	...	63	...	...	50	2	300	64	25	4,985
Leaksville	J. D. Ashford	...	...	222	...	...	5	5	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	30	14	142	63	46	5,656
Mt. Zion	J. H. Minor	...	...	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	...	5	...	40	10	10	407
Pleasant Ridge-Newport News	W. S. Berry	...	...	115	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	...	...	49	2	35	26	50	4,200
Oxford	J. W. Gwynn	...	...	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70	...	...	65	...	122	60	28	5,712
Raleigh	C. L. Gidney	...	...	140	...	...	...	...	...	45	...	...	...	75	...	...	45	...	70	45	28	10,397
Randleman	I. C. Spinks	38	38	38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	...	...	20	3	72	30	19	1,875
Saint James	W. N. Johnson	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	40	...	...	35	3	42	31	10	2,303
Reidsville	Beverly Brown	...	...	228	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	77	...	...	75	5	138	75	54	1,310
Saint Peters	R. M. Martin	...	...	38	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	35	...	...	42	3	15	30	14	4,183
Summerfield	R. W. Winchester	...	...	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	18	10	150	63	52	3,087
Wesley and Chapel Hill	W. E. Hairston	...	...	100	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	5	5	75	...	...	60	...	...	56	128	3,886
Total		$2,906	$2,793	$ 4,402	$ 58	$...	$ 24	$ 12	$...	$ 664	$ 13	$ 20	$ 49	$1,593	$...	$...	$1,305	$117	$ 4,400	$1,432	$1,031	$111,331

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences

Laurinburg District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT											CONNECTIONAL FUND			
						Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimant's Fund				Inter-denom. Cpn. Fnd.	
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) at Beginning this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate's, Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. and Dist. Administration	Apportioned	Paid
Charlotte:																				
Simpson	C. E. Strickland	$ 200	$ 3,600	$ 300	$ 100	$ 3,640	$ 3,640	$ 25	$ 3,665	$ 200	$ 400	$ 400	$ 72	$ 72	$ 450	$ 450	$ 15	$ 12	$...	$...
Fairmont	Walter Davis													3		55		2		
Fayetteville	R. B. McRae	1,170	3,700	1,097	529	3,640	3,640		3,640	200	340	340	35	35	400	400		39		
Goldsboro	O. M. Graham											70		18		135				
Hamlet	Marshall McCallum	719	216	885	112				3,000		470	470		60		450		137		
Hickory Bend	J. W. McRae, Sr.			18	20	228	228		228		20	20		3		25				
Johns-Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum	1,650	1,650	180	100	2,000	1,800		1,800		260	220	40	36	300	300	10	10		
Laurinburg	G. E. Hogue	1,276	315	412	96				3,500	3		478		72		450		16		
Laurinburg Circuit	Miles Murray		366		395				1,961			240		41		330	5	34		
Lumberton	D. H. McLean				100	2,400	2,400		2,400		340	340	48	48	335	335	15			
Maxton-Beauty Spot	J. W. Ferree	500	1,065	668	196	3,300	3,300		3,300	400	439	439	66	64	495	400	5	45		
Millers	M. W. Cooper								20	25										
New Zion-Mount Zion	B. F. Gleaves									60										
Pembroke-Southern Pines	E. C. Campbell									52										
Philadelphia	D. C. Skeen		225	125	39				87			125				80		25		
Red Springs	I. A. Friend		564	669	92	2,392	2,340	72	2,412		280	280	48	48	360	251	8	14		
Rowland-Salem	J. F. Sawyer	1,600	1,600	200	160						280	280	40	40		200	5	51		
Saint Marks	John Monroe		60	35	15				50			20								
Saint Peters	J. W. McRae, Jr.		226	50	55											30		5		
Sanford	J. L. Alford	110		345	90				1,605			270		25		100	4	16		
Bolton	E. M. McLeod											74		3		35	5	5		
Wilmington	John S. Mills																			
Hoffman	John McEachin	480		75	40				420			60		10		56				
Total		$ 7,705	$13,587	$ 5,059	$ 2,049	$ 17,600	$ 17,348	$ 97	$ 28,088	$ 940	$ 2,829	$ 4,126	$ 394	$ 578	$ 2,340	$ 4,082	$ 73	$ 406	$...	$...

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences — Laurinburg District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																					
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences												Conference Benevolences									
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W.S.C.S. (incl. W.S.G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treas.	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Hospitals	Conference Advanced Specials	Church School Rally Day	Conference Cultivations	Reserve Pension Fund	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total
Charlotte:																							
Simpson	C. E. Strickland	$ 300	$ 200	$ 200	$...	$...	$...	$ 6	$...	$ 75	$...	$...	$ 5	$ 99	$...	$...	$ 75	$ 5	$ 175	$ 50	$ 50	$ 9,754
Fairmont	Walter Davis	.....	.....	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	25	9	119
Fayetteville	R. B. McRae	.....	200	200	...	...	...	...	...	132	...	...	...	60	...	...	100	...	100	31	...	11,773
Goldsboro	O. M. Graham	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	18	50	125	466
Hamlet	Marshall McCallum	.....	.....	100	...	...	5	...	5	85	5	6	6	90	...	...	...	15	76	102	...	6,544
Hickory Bend	J. W. McRae, Sr.	.....	.....	10	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	...	...	5	...	...	35	8	397
Johns-Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum	.....	.....	180	...	...	5	5	...	62	...	10	...	54	...	...	130	5	100	160	...	6,667
Laurinburg	G. E. Hogue	.....	.....	200	...	...	5	5	...	125	...	...	5	92	...	...	...	15	150	...	27	7,267
Laurinburg Circuit	Miles Murray	.....	200	144	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	47	...	...	...	7	...	155	33	3,760
Lumberton	D. H. McLean	350	350	350	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	83	...	...	50	12	100	67	78	3,988
Maxton-Beauty Spot	J. W. Feree	300	200	200	...	...	...	7	...	70	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	10	40	113	...	7,552
Millers	M. W. Cooper	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	75
New Zion-Mt. Zion	B. F. Gleaves	.....	.....	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	115
Pembroke-Southern Pines	E. C. Campbell	.....	.....	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	50	...	162
Philadelphia	D. C. Skeen	.....	.....	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	...	...	...	...	25	20	9	837
Red Springs	I. A. Friend	.....	.....	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	...	...	...	...	...	76	...	4,579
Rowland-Salem	J. F. Sawyer	.....	.....	175	...	...	5	3	...	111	5	3	...	75	...	...	20	5	...	25	46	4,498
Saint Marks	Johu Monroe	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	187
Saint Peters	J. W. McRae, Jr.	.....	.....	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	3	7	5	...	19	418
Sanford	J. L. Alford	.....	.....	55	...	...	4	...	...	...	16	...	...	50	...	...	10	...	...	9	...	2,709
Bolton	E. M. McLeod	.....	.....	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	189
Wilmington	John S. Mills	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hoffman	John McEachin	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	...	...	18	...	...	20	11	1,216
Total		$ 950	$1,150	$ 2,049	$...	$...	$ 27	$ 28	$ 5	$ 660	$ 28	$ 29	$ 16	$ 983	$...	$...	$ 411	$ 81	$ 854	$ 995	$ 475	$ 73,272

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences

Western District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT										CONNECTIONAL FUND			
						Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimant's Fund				Interdenom. Cpn. Fnd.	
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) at Beginning this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate's, Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. and Dist. Administration	Apportioned	Paid
Asheville	L. A. Brown	$ 1,657	$ 31	$ 687	$ 68	$ 3,000	$ 3,000	$	$ 3,000	$ 120	$ 315	$ 315	$ 60	$ 60	$ 450	$ 450	$ 10	$ 83	$ 10	$ 10
Brooks and Philadelphia	S. B. McBrayer	1,296	56	420	100	.....	.....	.....	1,800	200	.....	212	.....	36	.....	270	....	8	....	....
Catawba Circuit	T. D. McCorkle	576	400	200	100	.....	1,000	50	1,050	.....	.....	135	.....	15	.....	100	....	8	....	....
Forest City-Union Mills	C. N. Mattison	1,677	703	550	59	2,550	2,361	.....	2,361	.....	.....	182	.....	25	.....	130	....	10	....	....
Gastonia-Bessemer	J. T. Jones	615	4,300	270	188	2,297	.....	.....	2,297	.....	225	190	.....	49	.....	254	....	10	11	11
Hickory-Conover	R. D. Sharpe	.....	2,105	420	170	.....	.....	.....	2,768	626	.....	391	.....	62	.....	332	10	10	....	....
Kings Mountain	F. F. McCallum	6	150	100	37	.....	1,200	.....	1,200	30	.....	120	.....	8	.....	5	....	.....	....	....
Lenoir	S. L. Townsend	900	1,200	834	300	.....	3,000	.....	3,000	520	.....	402	.....	45	.....	280	10	32	....	....
Lincolnton	C. O. Hill	420	300	.....	.....	.....	1,100	.....	1,100	.....	.....	195	24	24	165	165	6	5	6	6
Lowesville	A. W. Stowe	350	.....	500	137	.....	1,800	200	2,000	600	235	235	.....	36	.....	270	8	7	....	....
Marion	D. S. Harkness	150	560	180	175	.....	1,900	.....	1,900	100	.....	300	.....	40	.....	300	....	29	....	....
Mooresville Circuit	G. W. Patterson	628	1,737	263	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	15	.....	100	5	20	....	....
Mt. Holly and Hunters	Bert J. Dula	550	300	.....	.....	.....	1,100	.....	1,100	100	.....	145	.....	20	.....	115	8	32	....	....
Newton-Granite Falls	B. L. Burge	842	179	798	127	1,775	1,775	1,775	1,775	100	.....	261	.....	35	.....	265	8	30	8	8
Old Fort	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	....	....
Shelby Circuit	J. Q. Dula	.....	.....	650	148	.....	2,400	.....	2,400	.....	.....	228	.....	49	.....	360	....	.....	2	2
Stanley and St. Paul	R. H. McDowell	.....	43	.....	44	.....	500	.....	500	200	.....	64	.....	14	.....	75	2	25	5	5
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey	4,906	12,399	440	64	.....	1,200	.....	1,200	.....	.....	217	.....	16	.....	170	....	.....	....	....
West Asheville	O. S. Davenport	429	.....	200	26	.....	561	.....	561	.....	.....	120	.....	8	.....	48	3	8	3	3
Wilkesboro Circuit	M. S. Laughlin	700	420	100	.....	.....	1,810	.....	1,810	50	.....	222	.....	40	.....	262	....	20	....	....
Franklin	A. E. Robinson	.....	.....	11	.....	300	300	.....	300	.....	.....	30	6	4	45	15	2	17	....	....
Total	.....	$15,702	$24,833	$ 6,633	$ 1,843	$ 9,922	$ 25,007	$2,025	$ 30,122	$2,646	$ 775	$ 4,164	$ 90	$ 601	$ 660	$ 3,966	$ 71	$ 354	$ 45	$ 45

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences — Western District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																				
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences													Conference Benevolences								
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W.S.C.S. (incl. W.S.G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treas.	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Hospitals	Conference Advanced Specials	Church School Rally Day	Conference Cultivations	Reserve Pension Fund	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total
Asheville	L. A. Brown	$ 300	$ 300	$ 300	$...	$ 25	$ 16	$ 25	$...	$ 131	$ 11	$100	$ 20	$ 114	$...	$...	$ 50	$ 10	$ 150	$ 500	$ 12	$ 12,340
Brooks and Philadelphia	S. B. McBrayer	200	100	90						64			5	53				5		85	18	12,046
Catawba Circuit	T. D. McCorkle			100										22					29	15	15	4,365
Firest City-Union Mills	E. N. Mattison			70										40							25	5,832
Gastonia and Bessemer	J. T. Jones	390	390	390			5	5		57			5	45				15		137		8,843
Hickory-Conover	R. D. Sharpe			260		10						15		100			50		150	300		7,779
Kings Mountain	F. F. McCallum			30										20				6			7	1,719
Lenoir	S. L. Townsend			225			10	10		56	10	12	10	89				10		95	40	8,090
Lincolnton	C. O. Hill	130	130	130		3					8	8					20			70	6	2,466
Lowesville	A. W. Stowe	250	200	200	8	10	12			23	10	10	10	58			8		200		53	4,745
Marion	D. S. Harkness			150						85				40			35	10	100	52	63	4,269
Mooresville Circuit	G. W. Patterson			50		8								40			20			15	9	3,210
Mt. Holly and Hunters	Bert J. Dula			130			5	3				5		79			20	5	25	50	32	3,124
Newton and Granite Falls	B. L. Burge	200	200	200				5					5	89			35		125	260	10	6,657
Old Fort																						
Shelby Circuit	J. Q. Dula	175	160	120		8		7		40			5	54				9	10	82		4,172
Stanley and St. Paul	R. H. McDowell	60	60	60										29			10		30	70	26	1,197
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey			225		5							5	58			10		60	200		19,975
West Asheville	O. S. Davenport			40										16			10	3	20	20		1,495
Wilkesboro Circuit	M. S. Laughlin			120									5	85			25		25	93	28	4,020
Franklin	A. E. Robinson	25	25	23		2		2		5				7			4			15	5	443
Total		$1,730	$1,565	$ 2,913	$ 8	$ 71	$ 38	$ 57	$...	$ 461	$ 39	$150	$ 70	$1,038	$...	$...	$ 297	$ 73	$ 724	$2,259	$ 349	$116,787

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences

Winston District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT											CONNECTIONAL FUND			
						Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimant's Fund				Inter-denom. Cpn. Fnd.	
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) at Beginning this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate's, Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. and Dist. Administration	Apportioned	Paid
Advance	H. A. Smith	$ 525	$	$ 72	$ 27	$ 500	$ 500	$	$ 500	$ 500	$	$ 90	$ 10	$ 10	$ 75	$ 75	$ 3	$ 3	$ 3	$ 3
Asheboro	O. W. Burwick	1,005	867	325	171	.....	.....	.....	3,139	.....	.....	320	.....	19	.....	150	....	22	....	....
Elkin-Jonesville	Joseph B. Bethea	3,105	2,892	736	301	.....	.....	.....	1,525	475	.....	229	.....	31	.....	229	10	87	....	10
High Point:																				
Brooks Memorial	W. S. McLeod	2,380	540	1,955	315	.....	.....	.....	3,250	.....	429	429	62	62	436	300	15	95	....	....
Saint Marks	J. J. Patterson	600	.....	2,263	215	.....	.....	.....	3,445	.....	.....	435	.....	67	.....	507	15	99	....	12
Lexington and Midway	G. A. Brooks	720	398	746	470	.....	.....	.....	2,895	150	.....	345	.....	58	.....	219	....	108	....	....
Madison	B. W. Stewart	3,000	2,000	400	500	2,000	.....	.....	1,800	400	.....	348	.....	36	.....	150	....	15	....	....
Mitchell	E. J. Jones	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	24	2	6	....	1
Mt. Airy and Pilot Mt.	W. P. Cole	.....	.....	110	72	.....	.....	.....	1,500	100	.....	236	.....	25	.....	165	8	8	....	6
Penhook Circuit	C. G. Bynum	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	....	.....	....	....
Oak Grove Circuit	P. G. Carter	.....	2,074	625	408	1,450	1,340	.....	1,340	.....	180	180	.....	15	.....	153	6	6	....	2
	L. B. Eldridge, Asst.																			
Thomasville:																				
East	J. W. Jones	1,728	750	750	450	1,700	1,700	.....	1,700	500	190	190	.....	25	125	125	10	60	....	....
Saint John	W. J. Cameron	4,500	500	1,000	500	2,600	2,600	.....	2,600	102	300	300	50	50	300	300	10	10	....	....
Trinity Circuit	J. F. Campbell	200	.....	.....	38	.....	.....	.....	1,250	150	.....	118	.....	24	.....	178	6	6	....	8
Winston-Salem:																				
Mt. Pleasant	Wm. R. Crawford	300	1,200	638	80	2,200	2,200	.....	2,200	.....	243	243	44	44	230	230	8	8	....	2
St. Andrews-Walnut Cove	H. W. Phillips	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	62	.....	465	....	.....	....	12
Saints Home	R. F. McCallum	1,820	48	897	50	2,730	.....	.....	2,810	.....	253	253	35	35	256	256	6	32	....	....
	L. H. Jones, Asst.																			
Saint Paul	W. C. L. Scarborough	.....	650	3,891	446	4,987	.....	.....	3,500	400	.....	450	.....	70	.....	525	15	58	....	10
Jones Temple-Chestnut Grove	Otto Withers	858	145	110	24	.....	.....	.....	185	.....	.....	33	.....	3	.....	17	....	.....	....	....
Total		$20,741	$12,064	$14,518	$ 4,067	$ 18,167	$ 8,340	$.....	$ 33,639	$2,777	$ 1,595	$ 4,199	$ 201	$ 639	$ 1,422	$ 3,918	$114	$ 623	$...	$ 66

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences — Winston District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES: World Service and Conf. Bevenolences: Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	General Advance Specials	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W.S.C.S. (incl. W.S.G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treas.	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Conference Benevolences: Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Hospitals	Conference Advanced Specials	Church School Rally Day	Reserve Pension Fund	Conference Cultivation	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total
Advance	H. A. Smith	$ 75	$ 75	$ 75	$ ..	$ 3	$ 3	$ ..	$ ..	$	$ 5	$ ..	$ 3	$ 31	$ ..	$ ..	$ 20	$ 6	$ 200	$ 03	$ 42	$ 2,226
Asheboro	O. W. Burwick	225	225	225	....	....	....	5	....	184	....	....	....	75	....	....	....	16	361	....	14	6,898
Elkin-Jonesville	Joseph B. Bethea	175	175	175	....	....	10	5	....	49	12	....	10	69	....	....	120	15	310	120	101	10,675
High Point:																						
Brooks Memorial	W. S. McLeod	230	230	230	....	....	5	4	....	77	3	5	3	70	....	....	....	....	....	30	381	10,149
Saint Marks	J. J. Patterson	....	....	450	....	....	5	....	....	235	....	....	....	195	....	5	50	17	205	75	75	8,970
Lexington-Midway	G. A. Brooks	225	225	225	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	83	....	....	....	16	130	25	....	6,588
Madison	B. W. Stewart	225	....	150	....	....	6	....	....	44	....	....	....	79	....	....	50	....	55	....	....	9,028
Mitchell	E. J. Jones	15	15	15	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7	....	....	....	3	50	5	18	134
Mt. Airy-Pilot Mt.	W. P. Cole	75	75	75	....	....	12	....	....	....	....	....	....	75	....	....	....	....	106	....	24	2,512
Penhook Circuit	C. G. Bynum	....	....	50	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	35	....	....	....	8	55	....	12	210
Oak Grove Circuit	P. G. Carter	155	155	155	....	....	10	8	....	59	....	....	3	82	....	....	69	14	116	69	....	5,354
	L. B. Eldridge, Asst.																					
Thomasville:																						
East	J. W. Jones	100	100	100	....	....	3	12	....	....	5	4	5	75	....	....	75	15	182	75	12	6,851
Saint John	W. J. Cameron	225	225	225	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	200	....	....	100	17	376	100	27	10,950
Trinity Circuit	J. F. Campbell	144	144	144	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	61	....	....	60	10	215	75	42	2,588
Winston-Salem:																						
Mt. Pleasant	Wm. R. Crawford	....	....	240	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	9	75	....	....	....	15	289	....	69	5,640
St. Andrews-Walnut Cove	H. W. Phillips	....	....	....	....	....	10	....	....	....	19	....	....	130	....	....	....	20	180	....	72	970
Saints Home	R. F. McCallum	....	....	225	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10	....	83	....	....	100	10	365	100	30	7,230
	L. H. Jones, Asst.																150					
Saint Paul	W. C. L. Scarborough	....	....	750	....	....	15	10	....	180	7	....	15	286	....	....	....	30	580	250	45	12,283
Jones Temple-Chestnut Grove	Otto Withers	....	....	9	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	12	....	....	....	4	20	....	....	1,420
Total		$1,869	$1,644	$ 3,581	$...	$ 3	$ 87	$ 44	$...	$ 828	$ 51	$ 19	$ 41	$1,723	$...	$ 5	$ 794	$216	$ 3,795	$ 954	$ 964	$110,676

RECAPITULATION TABLE

DISTRICT	SUPT.	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT											CONNECTIONAL FUND			
						Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimant's Fund				Inter-denom. Cpn. Fnd.	
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) at Beginning this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate's, Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. and Dist. Administration	Apportioned	Paid
Greensboro District	G. M. Phelps	$15,048	$18,149	$13,689	$ 3,933	$.....	$ 31,940	$1,048	$ 32,938	$2,514	$ 1,690	$ 4,593	$.....	$ 598	$ 4,242	$	$182	$ 482	$ ..	$111
Laurinburg District	R. C. Sharpe	7,705	13,587	5,059	2,049	17,600	17,348	97	23,268	803	2,829	4,126	349	575	2,340	4,027	73	404	....	....
Western District	T. H. Wootten	15,702	24,883	6,633	1,843	9,922	25,007	2,025	29,022	2,646	775	4,164	90	601	660	3,966	71	354	45	45
Winston District	L. M. Mayfield	20,741	12,064	14,518	4,067	18,167	8,340	.....	33,639	2,777	1,595	4,199	201	639	1,422	3,918	114	623	....	66
Total		$59,196	$68,683	$39,899	$11,892	$ 45,689	$ 82,635	$3,170	$118,867	$8,740	$ 6,889	$17,082	$ 640	$2,413	$ 4,422	$16,153	$440	$1,863	$ 45	$222
Total Last Year		48,679	53,521	32,735	8,086	103,897	119,373	1,749	121,922	7,178	15,687	15,533	2,231	2,294	15,717	16,212	144	2,872	....	....
Increase		10,517	15,162	7,164	3,806	.....	.....	1,421	.....	1,562	.....	1,549	.....	119	.....	.....	26	.....	45	222
Decrease		.....	.....	.....	.....	58,208	36,738	.....	3,055	.....	8,798	.....	1,591	.....	11,295	59	....	1,009	....	....

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DISTRICT	SUPT.	BENEVOLENCES																					
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences												Conference Benevolences									
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Greensboro District	G. M. Phelps	$2,906	$2,793	$ 4,402	$ 58	$...	$ 24	$ 12	$...	$ 664	$ 13	$ 20	$ 49	$1,593	$...	$...	$1,305	$117	$ 4,400	$1,432	$1,031	$107,666
Laurinburg District	R. C. Sharpe	950	1,150	1,909	....	....	27	28	5	660	28	29	16	968	....	....	411	81	920	654	406	67,818
Western District	T. H. Wootten	1,730	1,565	2,523	8	71	38	57	....	461	39	150	70	1,038	....	....	297	73	2,259	724	349	98,087
Winston District	L. M. Mayfield	1,869	1,644	3,518	924	3	87	44	....	828	51	19	41	1,723	....	5	794	216	3,795	954	964	111,331
Total		$7,455	$7,152	$12,352	$990	$ 74	$176	$141	$ 5	$2,613	$131	$218	$176	$5,322	$...	$ 5	$2,807	$487	$11,374	$3,764	$2,750	$384,902
Total Last Year		.....	.....	15,573	12	43	238	279	....	1,880	112	160	207	6,152	153	....	.....	....	.....	.....	3,344	354,929
Increase		.....	.....	.....	978	31	....	....	5	733	13	58	....	.....	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	29,973
Decrease		.....	.....	3,221	....	....	62	138	....	.....	....	....	31	830	153	....	.....	....	.....	.....	594	.....

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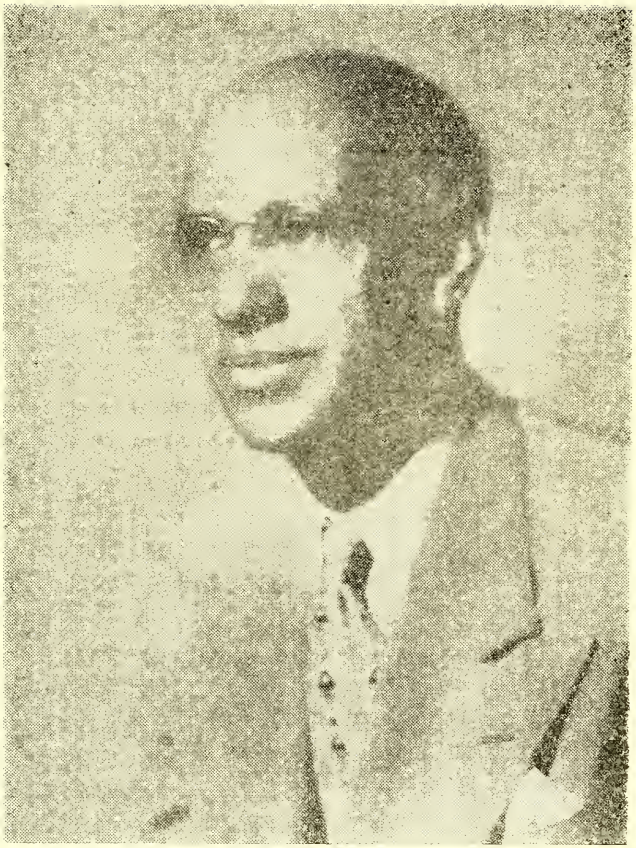

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Bethea, Joseph B. ..... R. F. D. 2, Box 323, Elkin, N. C.
Black, Eugene ..... 221 Durham St., Greensboro, N. C.
Brooks, Glenn A. ..... 335 E. 4th St., Lexington, N. C.
Brower, J. E. ..... 905 Douglas St., Greensboro, N. C.
Brown, L. A. ..... (Dist. Supt.) 625 Asheboro St., Greensboro, N. C.
Brown, W. T. ..... (Dist. Supt) 529 Julian St., Greensboro, N. C.
Burwick, O. W. ..... 1021 Oberlin Rd., Raleigh, N. C.
Bynum, C. G. ..... 1832 Maryland Ave., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Caldwell, F. D. ..... 902 Douglas St., Greensboro, N. C.
Caldwell, G. H. ..... 627 Ashe St., Greensboro, N. C.
Cameron, W. J. ..... 6 Church St., Thomasville, N. C.
Campbell, James F.
Cole, W. P. ..... 5 Woodbury St., High Point, N. C.
Corry, John G. ..... 130 S. Henry St., Leaksville, N. C.
Crawford, W. R. ..... 1701 Shadymount Ave., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Dula, B. J.
Dula, J. Q. ..... 704 Buffalo St., Shelby, N. C.
Ferree, J. W. ..... P. O. Box 543, Lumberton, N. C.
Friend, I. A.
Gidney, C. L.
Graham, O. M. ..... P. O. Box 475, Burgaw, N. C.
Gwyn, J. W. ..... 1815 E. 4th St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Hairston, W. E. ..... 1009 Lyle St., Reidsville, N. C.
Harkness, D. S. ..... Marion, N. C.
Hogue, G. E. ..... 210 Pine St., Laurinburg, N. C.
Jenkins, P. L. ..... Chaplain, U. S. Army
Jones, J. T. ..... 520 York St., Gastonia, N. C.
Jones, J. W. ..... 167 Burns St., Asheboro, N. C.
Laughlin, M. S. ..... Route 1, Clemmons, N. C.
Mattison, E. N. ..... Howard Univ., Washington, D. C.
Mayfield, L. M. ..... 911 E. 12½ St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
McBrayer, S. B.
McCallum, F. F. ..... P. O. Box 693, Red Springs, N. C.
McCallum, J. E. ..... Wiley College, Marshall, Texas
McCallum, J. H. ..... 526 Seaboard St., Lumberton, N. C.
McCallum, Marshall ..... 220 Woodfin St., Asheville, N. C.
McCallum, R. F. ..... 355 Dixie Broadway, Winston-Salem, N. C.
McLean, D. H. ..... P. O. Box, Hamlet, N. C.
McLeod, W. S. ..... 811 Richardson St., High Point, N. C.
McRae, R. B. ..... 806 Frelic St., Fayetteville, N. C.
Mills, John S. ..... P. O. Box 475, Maxton, N. C.
Moore, D. E. ..... 4-C Braswell St., Durham, N. C.
Patterson, G. W. ..... Rt. 1, Mooresville, N. C.
Patterson, J. J. ..... 755 Washington St., High Point, N. C.
Phelps, G. M. ..... 537 Bragg St., Greensboro, N. C.
Phillips, H. W. (Dist. Supt.) ..... 1834 E. 4th St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Royster, W. R. ..... P. O. Box 875, Greensboro, N. C.
Robinson, A. E.
Sawyer, J. F. ..... P. O. Box 1031, Hamlet, N. C.
Sharpe, R. C. ..... (Dist. Supt.) 523 Shaw St., Fayetteville, N. C.
Sharpe, R. D. ..... 208 Center St., Hickory, N. C.

Stowe, A. W.
Strickland, C. E. ..... 309 S. Graham St., Charlotte, N. C.
Tarpley, T. C. ..... 111 Regan St., Greensboro, N. C.
Townsend, S. L. ..... 237 Rankin St., Lenoir, N. C.
Williams, E. A. ..... Route 1, Back Bay, Va.

RETIRED ELDERS

Burge, B. L. ..... Newton, N. C.
Davis, H. H.
Frost, E. ..... Rt. 1, Box 17, Mocksville, N. C.
Gleaves, B. F. ..... Box 311, Maxton, N. C.
Lomax, W. T. ..... P. O. Box 156, Reidsville, N. C.
Ledwell, J. H. ..... 66 Warren St., Greensboro, N. C.
McLeod, E. M. ..... 608 Taft St., Laurinburg, N. C.
Skeen, D. C. ..... 310 Turner St., Thomasville, N. C.
Shuford, J. W. ..... 509 Bennett St., Greensboro, N. C.
Winchester, R. W. ..... 425 Bennett St., Greensboro, N. C.

APPROVED SUPPLY PASTORS

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Coletrain, L. W. ..... 312 Linden Ave., Oxford, N. C.
Johnson, W. N. ..... 1000 Julian St., Greensboro, N. C.
Jones, E. J. ..... 825 E. Salisbury St., Asheboro, N. C.
Martin, R. M. ..... Kernersville, N. C.
Minor, J. H. ..... Rt. 7, Box 823, Greensboro, N. C.
Moorehead, F. D. ..... Route 9, Box 226, Greensboro, N. C.
Sellers, Liston, Jr., ... 921 A Martin St., Greensboro, N. C.
Spinks, I. C. ..... 2111 McConnell Rd., Greensboro, N. C.

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

Campbell, E. C.
Davis, Walter ..... Laurel Hill, N. C.
Douglas, A. H.
McEchain, John ..... Rt. 1, Box 121, Raiford, N. C.
McGrit, D. R.
McRae, J. W.
Monroe, John ..... Red Springs, N. C.
Shivers, J. H.
London, Harlon

WESTERN DISTRICT

Dula, Bert
Davenport, Oscar S. ..... Lenoir, N. C.
Bowman, John
Eleaser, Wille V.
Hill, C. O.
Hill, John F.
McCorkle, T. D. (Retired) ..... East D St., Newton, N. C.
McDowell, R. H.
Tyson, Charles ..... Asheboro, N. C.

WINSTON DISTRICT

Carter, P. G. ..... 906 Cassell St., High Point, N. C.
Eldridge, L. B. ..... P. O. Box 237, Rural Hall, N. C.
Jones, L. H. ..... 1727 Grant St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Miller, Buford
Smith, Harry A. ..... 2544 Kirkwood, Winston-Salem, N. C.
NeSmith, Samuel
Withers, Otto

MEMBERS ON TRIAL

A. H. Douglas
J. H. Shivers
E. J. Jones
Buford Miller
A. H. Smith
L. B. Eldridge
Liston Sellers, Jr.
Robert Martin

MINISTERIAL SUMMARY

Total Effective	58
Total Retired	10
On Trial	8
Total	76

LAY DELEGATES

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Raleigh Cross Road and Basses Chapel	Miss F. M. McCallum
Brown Summit	Mr. J. L. Bolden
Durham	Mrs. L. W. Taylor
Collins Grove	Mrs. Elnoma Tarpley
Empire Circuit	Mrs. Macy Harris
Browning Chapel	Mrs. Alma Siler
Mt. Tabor	Mr. Raymond Maxwell
St. Matthews	Mr. Clarence Winchester
South Greensboro	Mrs. Alberta Mebane
Union Memorial	Mrs. Lena B. McMillan
Warren Street and Mt. Carmel	Mr. C. C. Miller
Kernersville	Mrs. W. L. Napper
Reidsville	Mrs. G. B. McRae
Leaksville	Mrs. O. R. Simpson
Mt. Zion and Zion Hill	Mrs. Mozelle Boyd
Bullock and Townsville	Mr. Maurice Taylor
Newport News and Pleasant Ridge	Mrs. Myrtle Siler
Oxford	Mrs. Anna Hester
Raleigh	Mr. H. C. Brower
Randleman	Mr. Ronald L. Goss
St. James and Summerfield	Rev. W. N. Johnson
St. Peters	Mrs. Myrtle Coble
Wesley Chapel and Chapel Hill	Mr. Harry Whitsett
Cox Chapel and Shady Grove	Mrs. Esther Marley
Laughlin Memorial and Ramseur	Mrs Lena Phillips

WINSTON DISTRICT

Advance—Mr. Clifton G. Scott	P. O. Box 57, Advance, N. C.
Reserve—Mr. Harvey Hampton	1111 Moulay St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Asheboro—Mrs. Charles E. Tyson	337 Watkin St., Asheboro, N. C.
Reserve—Mr. C. A. Barrett	745 Frank St., Asheboro, N. C.
Elkin and Jonesville—Mrs. Lula M. Hickerson	P. O. Box 354, Ronda, N. C.
Reserve—Mrs. Estele Henson	Jonesville, N. C.
Brooks Memorial—Mrs. L. B. Haizlip	212 Vail St., High Point, N. C.
Reserve—Mrs. Emma Poteat	509 Ashburn St., High Point, N. C.
St. Mark—Mr. T. A. Brower	218 Underhill St., High Point, N. C.
Reserve—Mrs. Nora Bynum	1199 Day St., High Point, N. C.
Oak Grove—Mrs. Janie Thompson	4106 Rosa St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Reserve—Miss Maxine Espridge	4632 Baux Mtn. Rd., Winston-Salem, N. C.

Lexington—Mr. John T. Cobb ..... 109 N. Pugh St., Lexington, N. C.
Reserve—Mr. Clifford Lenord ..... Route 5, Winston-Salem, N. C.
Madison—Miss Bessie Franklin ..... Box 172, Madison
Reserve—Miss Ruth Goosby ..... Route No. 1, Box 55, Walnut Cove
Mitchell—
Reserve—
Mt. Airy and Jonesville—
Reserve—
Walkertown—
Reserve—
Penn Hook—Mr. Robert J. Toney ..... Route 1, Boone Mill, Va.
Reserve—
Pilot Mtn.—
Reserve—
Rural Hall—
Reserve—
Red Bank—
Reserve—
E. Thomasville—Mrs. Ruth Greeson ..... 203 Turner St., Thomasville
Reserve—Mrs. Gertrude Thigpen ..... 121 Smith St., Thomasville
Thomasville—Mrs. Emma May ..... 100 Church St., Thomasville
Reserve—Mrs. Larone Payne ..... 124 Church St., Thomasville
Trinity—Mr. Edward Belo ..... Route 3, Box 272, High Point
Reserve—
Mount Pleasant—Mr. Ralph Black .. 18 B Columbia Terrace, Winston-Salem
Reserve—Mrs. J. C. Rush ..... 808 Graham Street, Winston-Salem
St. Andrews—Mrs. Irene Litaker ..... 525 Liberia St., Winston-Salem
Reserve—Mrs. A. W. Harper ..... Dixie Broadway, Winston-Salem
St. Homes—Mrs. Sallie McGee ..... 1438 N. Cherry St., Winston-Salem
Reserve—Mrs. Theotice Jackson .. 1727 Thurman Street, Winston-Salem
St. Paul—Atty. R. C. Ervin .... 628 24½ St., Winston-Salem, N. C.
Reserve—Mr. A. J. Baker ..... 1321 Thurman St., Winston-Salem

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

John Wesley—Mrs. K. M. Webb ..... 628 Mechanic Street, Fayetteville
Reserve—Mrs. Maxine Carter ..... 1013 Albert St., Fayetteville
Rowland and Salem—James Bowen
Reserve—Chadburn McLean
St. George— ..... Maxton
Ryan Memorial— ..... Red Springs
St. James— ..... Fairmont
Sanford CT.—
Mt. Zion and New Zion—
John's-Piney Grove—Willie Douglass ..... Rt. 1, Maxton
Reserve—Miss Nancy McQueen ..... Rt. 3, Laurinburg
Mt. Olive—S. T. Brooks ..... P. O. Box 846, Lumberton
Reserve—Mrs. Mary J. Francis ..... P. O. Box 486, Lumberton
St. Peters—J. R. Roberson ..... P. O. Box 844, Hamlet
Reserve—
Galilee—Mrs. Margaret Gee ..... 713 Harrison St., Laurinburg
Reserve—
St. Peter—Judge McNeil ..... Rt. 1, Wagram
St. Peter—Judge McNeil ..... Rt. 1, Waghram
St. John—Ashley McLamb ..... 831 Greenlee St., Goldsboro
Reserve—Waldo Banner ..... 1108 John Street, Goldsboro
Beauty Spot—T. R. McNair ..... Elrod, N. C.
Smith Chapel—Miss Alace Graham ..... Rt. 1, Bolton, N. C.

Reserve—Mrs. Naomi Lacewell ..... Rt. 1, Bolton
Millers—Mrs. M. L. Rozier ..... Rt. 2, Box 284, St. P'aul
Simpson Memorial—Miss Mable Watson . 213 W. Dunbar, St. Charlotte 3, North Carolina
Reserve—
Hoffman—Miss Oliva Peace ..... . Hoffman, N. C.
St. James—James Pearson ..... P. O. Box 238, Pembroke
Philadelphia—Ben Zula Little ..... Rt. 2, Box 157, Rockingham
Reserve—Mrs. Amelia Hines ..... Rt. 2, Box 234, Rockingham
Walls Chapel—Matthew M. Graham ..... Rt., Raeford, N. C.

WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION, JUNE 11, 1958

9:00 A.M.

DEVOTION, conducted by Oscar Graham.

PRAYER, Marshall McCallum

BUSINESS SESSION:

Roll Call was the first order of business. The following appointments were made: Assistant Secretaries: J. W. Ferree, John G. Corry; Assistant Statisticians: S. L. Townsend, G. L. Brooks; Assistant Treasurers: O. W. Burwick, J. W. Jones; Postmaster: C. M. Winchester.

The Committee on Public Relations and Methodist Information was instructed to assist Mr. W. I. Gibson with the publicity for the Conference Session.

MOTION, by W. T. Brown, that a plaque be presented to Mr. Ben Smith, retired Superintendent of Public Schools, Greensboro, to take place on Thursday morning. Motion passed.

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, that the Board of Education report be the order of the day, Thursday, 3:00 P.M. Motion passed.

A telegram was read from B. F. Gleaves requesting that he be excused from the Conference because of illness. Request granted.

All of the announcements were made before the Memorial Service.

Memorial Service

11:00 A.M.

C. L. Gidney, presiding. The Roll Call of the deceased was made which included the following ministers: J. L. Alford, W. S. Berry, Beverly Brown, T. C. Frazier, B. J. Stewart, and T. H. Wooten; and the following ministers' wives: Mrs. I. A. Friend, Mrs. J. A. Laughlin, Mrs. A. E. Robinson, and Mrs. B. J. Stewart. Memorial message was delivered by W. R. Crawford.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, JUNE 11, 1958

2:15 P.M.

DEVOTION, conducted by S. L. Townsend.

PRAYER, John G. Corry

The bounds of the Conference were set from the front of the Little Theatre to the third window back.

REPORT OF THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS:

Greensboro District: W. T. Brown.
Laurinburg District: R. C. Sharpe .

Western District: H. W. Phillips.
Winston District: L. A. Brown.

MOTION, made by G. E. Hogue that the check of $1,277.22 received as a dividend from the Methodist Publishing House be accepted and turned over to the treasurer. Motion passed.

A letter was read from the Board of Missions commending Dr. C. C. Armstrong and his congregation for liquidating the total debt on their church.

MOTION, made by R. C. Ervin, that each district be authorized to hold a district conference, at the discretion of the District Superintendent, during the Conference year of 1958-1959. Motion passed.

ANNIVERSARY OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS:
W. E. Hairston, presiding.
Address: Dr. D. R. Fletcher, of Philadelphia. Dr. Fletcher commended R. W. Winchester for his work in paying on the debt of his church. A Film was shown by the Board of Missions.

$123.88 was received from the Communion offering, to be used by Bishop and Mrs. Love on the missions fields in Africa.

WEDNESDAY EVENING SESSION, JUNE 11, 1958

7:00 P. M.

DEVOTION, conducted by C. C. Armstrong.

PRAYER, G. A. Brooks.

ANNIVERSARY OF THE BOARD OF TEMPERANCE:
W. S. McLeod, Presiding.

Report for the Board of Temperance read by S. L. Towsend.

Report adopted. Robert Ragan, of Washington, D. C. delivered an address. J. B. Bethea brought the message.

THURSDAY MORNING SESSION, JUNE 12, 1958

9:00 A. M.

DEVOTIONS, conducted by W. R. Royster.

PRAYER, J. B. Bethea.

BUSINESS SESSION: Bishop Love, Presiding

Report of the Committee on the Journal was made by O. W. Burwick, who moved the adoption of the report. Motion passed.

The Conference was informed that J. B. Bethea was taking subscriptions for the CENTRAL CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE.

MOTION, by R. B. McRae, that an offering be received from the Conference to defray the expenses of Conference delegates to the funeral of the late Rev. W. S. Berry, and for the Berry family, and that the case be referred to the Board of Pensions for such additional help as may be possible. Motion passed. Offering received: $69.09. The delegates to attend the funeral were: J. H. McCallum, S. L. Townsend, E. C. Townsend, Liston Sellers. J. H. McCallum was to deliver the eulogy.

Dr. Charles F. Golden, of the General Board of Missions, was presented. He brought greetings from the Board and gave information as to the work of the Board.

Fraternal delegates were presented and brought greetings from their respective Conferences. These were: Rev. Richard H. Johnson, Ebenezer Church, Washington, D. C., for the Washington Conference; Rev. William H. McCallum, Pastor of Mary Palmer Church, for the Lexington Conference; Dr. Brantley, for the North Carolina Conference (SEJ).

11:00 A.M.

Professor A. H. Peeler, presented Mr. Ben L. Smith, retiring Superintendent of Public Schools, Greensboro, a silver pitcher for his courageous stand on integration. The pitcher bore the following inscription:

B. L. SMITH

"A Methodist who exemplifies the highest in Christian ideals, North Carolina Conference, Methodist Church, 1958."

11:45 A.M.

PREACHING HOUR: J. W. Gwynn, presiding.

NOON-DAY MESSAGE, brought by O. W. Burwick, who spoke from the subject: "Life's Great Decisions."

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, JUNE 12, 1958

2:15 P. M.

DEVOTIONS, conducted by J. S. Mills.

REPORTS:

Board of Lay Activities, given by R. C. Erwin. The Conference Board of Lay Activities for the ensuing year is as follows:

Conference Lay Leader, Clarence M. Winchester

Greensboro District: J. W. Sapp, District Lay Leader; Associate Lay Leaders: E. M. Townes, Harry Whitsett, C. H. Flagg, and Arthur Crump

Laurinburg District: Bruce Hargroves, District Lay Leader; Associate Lay Leaders: S. T. Brooks, Edward Henderson, and F. W. Douglas

Western District: Paul Williams, District Lay Leader; Associate Lay Leaders: C. A. Brown, Ray Cabiness, and D. E. Forney

Winston District: Richard C. Erwin, Lay Leader; Associate Lay Leaders: A. W. Harper, T. A. Brower, L. H. Jones, and Coy Payne

(See reports)

The Board of Temperance report was given by W. S. McLeod. (See reports).

The Board of Evangelism report was given by C. A. Barrett. (See reports).

G. H. Caldwell, Jr. was transferred to the New England Conference South, on trial, as of June 8, 1958.

A resolution was read by D. E. Moore on the Duke Divinity School segregation policy. Action was deferred on this issue.

3:00 P.M.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

The Board of Education gave a report, followed by the Executive Secretary's report, given by D. E. Moore (See reports).

Visitors were presented which included: Mrs. Mildred Heptinstall of West Market Street Methodist Church, Greensboro; Mrs. Eggleston, of the Virginia Conference.

RECOMMENDATION, by the Board of Education: "That the North Carolina Conference (CJ) participate with the North Carolina Conference and the Western North Carolina Conference (SEJ) in setting up an Inter-Conference Commission of Student Religious Work at the beginning of the next quadrennium, according to the Discipline, Paragraph 1370. MOTION, by C. A. Barrett, that the recommendation be adopted. Motion passed.

4:00 P.M.

BOARD OF WORLD PEACE, D. S. Harkness, presiding, who introduced Miss Geneva Holmes, Dean of Women, Fayetteville State Teachers College, Fayetteville, N. C. Miss Holmes was the speaker for this occasion.

Miss Violet Lewis, of French West Africa, a student at Fayetteville State Teachers College was introduced.

Report for the Board of Radio and Television Commission was given by G. E. Hogue (See reports).

Announcements.

THURSDAY EVENING SESSION, JUNE 12, 1958

7:00 P.M.

DEVOTIONS, conducted by C. E. Strickland.

EMPHASIS ON HIGHER EDUCATION AND GOALS: BISHOP ERGAR A. LOVE, presiding. The speaker for this occasion was Dr. Willa B. Player, President of Bennett College. Music was furnished by the Bennett Choir.

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION, JUNE 13, 1958

9:00 A.M.

DEVOTIONS, conducted by Glenn Brooks, who gave the meditation.

REPORT, by the Committee on Conference Journal; MOTION, by O. W. Burwick, that the proceedings of the Thursday session be adopted. Motion passed.

Adoption of the recommendation of TV Ministry (See reports).

Fraternal delegates from various Conferences brought greetings. They were: J. W. Curry, S. C. Conference.

Bishop R. E. Jones was presented and spoke briefly.

Telegrams were read from Bishop M. W. Clair; G. H. Caldwell, also read one from Noah Moore, Jr.

Report by Committee on Ministerial Training and Qualifications given by G. H. Caldwell (See report of the Business of the Annual Conference, Part II.)

MOTION, by G. H. Caldwell that A. H. Douglas be accepted as Accepted Supply. (Additional report from the Committee on Ministerial Training And Qualifications).

Check in the amount of 1470.00 was received from the Delware Conference for Bennett College.

Rev. C. Anderson Davis, East Tennessee brought greetings from his conference.

Ten minute recess was taken.

11:00 A.M.

Introduction of Visitors which included: Mrs. Edgar A. Love, Dr. Walter Lovell, Editor of Star of Zion, Dr. A. P. Morris, Secretary of the Board of Pensions, A. M. E. Zion Church. Dr. R. P. Marshall, Editor, North Carolina Christian Advocate.

RESOLUTION, by R. C. Erwin, that all future session of the Conference be held at Bennett College. Amendment, by R. B. McRae, that the next session be held at the John Wesley Church in Fayetteville. Amendment defeated. R. C. Erwin moved reconsideration of the amendment. Amendment approved. Original resolution by R. C. Erwin adopted, effective as of the 1959 Session of the North Carolina Annual Conference. Resolution appears elsewhere.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, JUNE 13, 1958

2:15 P.M.

DEVOTIONS, by D. H. McLean.

Report by Commission on World Service and Finance.

The Conference is requested to raise $10,000 by December 1959 for Bennett College, to match the Kress Fund donation of $75,000.

The budget was approved for 1958-1959.

MOTION, by D. S. Harkness, that the World Service and Finance Commission restudy the budget based on percentages for each district. Motion passed.

MOTION, that 4th Sunday in September be acclaimed Church School Rally Day in the Conference. Motion passed.

Approved Directors of the Wesley Foundation at North Carolina College are:

Report of Board of Pensions (See reports).

Report by Committee on Public Relations and Methodist Information (See reports). Report Adopted.

Report of the Area Administrative Secretary (See reports). Report approved.

Special report by D. L. Rodout on insurance rate. The matter referred to Commission on World Service and Finance.

MOTION, by D. E. Moore, that we begin our Saturday Session at 8:00 A. M. Motion passed.

Announcements.

SATURDAY MORNING SESSION, JUNE 14, 1958

8:00 A.M.

DEVOTIONS, conducted by Marshall McCallum.

Report from the Committee on the Journal given by O. W. Burwick, and moved by him that the report be adopted. Motion passed.

Report of Conference Treasurer, L. A. Brown. MOTION, by G. M. Phelps, that the report be adopted with appreciation to the Treasurer for a job well done. Motion passed. (See report).

Additional report from the Commission on World Service and Finance given by J. E. Brower. The Commission recommended that the Western

and Laurinburg Districts be apportioned 23% each, of the world service and benevolence apportionments for the conference, and that the Greensboro and Winston Districts each be apportioned 27% of the World Service and Benevolence apportionments. Recommendation approved. (See reports).

Letter of resignation of L. A. Brown as Conference Treasurer was read by J. E. Brower.

The Commission on World Service and Finance recommended that J. W. Gwyn be Conference Treasurer until the end of the quadrennium. Recommendation approved.

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, that the Conference Treasurer not accept any personal checks at the seat of the Annual Conference. Motion passed.

Report from the Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications given by G. M. Caldwell. J. H. Shivers had his orders recognized as a Deacon and was put on the Approved Supply List.

SPECIAL NOTE

Correction in the Journal pertaining to Miles Murphy, Jr. was made on Part II. page 24. question 24 (b) was made. Miles Murphy, Jr. was elected to Elders Orders, effective as of May 31, 1956.

Robert J. Toney, Buford Curbin Miller, Willie Victor Leazer, and Monroe McLean were elected to Deacon's Orders.

RESOLUTION, made by D. E. Moore on Thursday pertaining to segregation at Duke Divinity School was tabled on a MOTION, by S. T. Brooks.

Motion by F. D. Caldwell, that each Annual Conference will open officially on Thursday morning of the week that it is convening. Motion passed.

Harlan London was received into this Conference on trial and admitted into full connection, at the request of the Southwest Conference, elected Elder, and transferred out to the Southwest Conference.

MOTION, by G. M. Phelps, that all District Superintendents be members of the Conference Board of Missions. Motion passed.

D. S. Harkness made a motion that the report of the Commission on World Peace be adopted without being read. Motion passed.

Motion, by W. R. Crawford, that the Constitution of the Board of Managers, the Baltimore Area Pastor's School be printed in the Journal. Motion passed.

The following persons were elected as the Board of Directors of the Wesley Foundation at A. and T. College:

Nominations were made by G. H. Caldwell to fill the vacancies on the various Conferences Boards, Commissions, and Committees (See Boards, Commissions, Committees). Nominations approved.

Report from the Commission on Social and Economic Relations was read by J. T. Jones. Report adopted. (See Reports)

The following persons were received into full membership in the Conference: Avery Edward Robinson, James Franklin Campbell, Harlan London.

Paul Reid, President of Wesley Foundation, A. & T. College, brought highlights from the Wesley Foundation work for the past year.

Dr. W. T. Gibbs, President, A. & T. College brought greetings.

BOARD OF LAY ACTIVITIES—C. M. Winchester, Presiding.

Report given by A. L. Morrison. Report adopted with an expression of appreciation (See reports). RESOLUTION, presented by R. C. Erwin, commending A. L. Morrison, retiring Conference Lay Leader (See resolutions). District and Associate Lay Leaders were presented by C. M. Winchester.

11:30 A.M.

MINISTERS' WIVES' ASSOCIATION—Mrs. S. L. Townsend, Presiding.

Mrs. Marshall McCallum gave a brief, but impressive meditation in memory of their deceased members. Mrs. Edgar A. Love was the guest speaker for this occasion, who praised the work of the Ministers' Wives' Association. The group reported a total of $4,706.75 for the Reserve Pension Fund. (See reports).

MOTION, by M. S. Laughlin, that the Ministers' Wives' Creed be printed in the Conference Journal. Motion passed.

12:45 P.M.

Report from Trustees given by J. E. Brower. (See reports). Report adopted.

Maintenance report given by G. M. Phelps. Report adopted. (See reports)

MOTION, by L. A. Brown, that apportionments for the Conference Journal be paid by September 1.

Statistician report given by J. J. Patterson. Report adopted. (See reports).

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, "that each district hold a statistical session of the district in time for the report to be in the hands of the treasurer and statistician, fifteen days before the Annual Conference."

MOTION, by G. M. Phelps, that after the Conference Committee on the Centennial finishes it's reports, that a copy of same be sent to each pastor and that the report be printed in the Journal. Motion passed.

Telegram of congratulation from the Georgia Conference was read by John G. Corry. Motion, by W. R. Crawford that same be received and answered. Motion passed.

Announcements.

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, that after the necessary business on Sunday, the Conference stand adjourned without date. Motion passed.

7:30 P.M.

CONFERENCE YOUTH RALLY—John G. Corry, Presiding.

A very impressive pageant entitled, "The Challenge of the Cross" was presented by the Conference youth, under the direction of Mrs. Barbara Wells.

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE

9:30 A.M.

LOVE FEAST—Conducted by the Reverends Burge, Lomax and E. M. McLeod, and assisted by others.

ORDINATION SERVICE, Conducted by Bishop Love and the District Superintendents: DEACONS—Elwood Jennings Jones
Buford Curbin Miller
Robert Marion Martin

ELDERS—Edward Avery Robinson
Miles Murphy, Jr.
Harlon London

The Morning Offering was received. Total amount of giving was $390.97.

Bishop Love gave the Morning Message. His subject was "Our Responsibility To God."

RESOLUTION on Courtesies was given by C. L. Gidney. Motion to receive the resolution was offered, seconded and passed by the conference.

REPORT on the Journal was given by O.W. Burwick. The report was received.

READING OF THE APPOINTMENTS was read by Bishop Love, after which announcements and the Benediction.

There being no further business the conference adjourned until the next session of the Annual Conference.

RESOLUTIONS

COURTESY COMMITTEE

Bishop Love.

We are happy to hold this one hundredth session of the North Carolina Annual Conference in this, our own Bennett College, where conveniences are superb. Commendation is due all who shared in making the Conference a most pleasant one, and the fraternal delegates who brought greetings which placed upon us a challenge for greater work.

Bishop Love has caused us to grasp for greater tasks. Bishops Jones and King added tone to the Conference.

We have reaffirmed our faith in the Eternal God to fashion this world with His divine power. We go now to our tasks to prove that we are worthy of accomplishing great tasks, and as we go, may we think of a great hymn:

Be still, my soul, the Lord is on thy side
Bear patiently the cross of grief and pain
Leave to thy God to order and provide
In every change He faithful will remain.

Respectfully submitted,
COMMITTEE

RESOLUTION ON THE MEETING PLACE OF THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Annual Conference has heretofore held its annual sessions from church to church, town to town, upon the invitation of our various churches;

WHEREAS, this policy has been carried on since the founding of this Conference;

WHEREAS, Bennett College of Greensboro, North Carolina is the only Methodist School of higher education in the area of the North Carolina Conference; that most of the local churches of our Conference have and now contribute annually to the support of this institution;

WHEREAS, the administration of Bennett College indicates that it is willing to entertain the annual sessions of the North Carolina Conference for a reasonable fee per delegate if said sessions can be held within two weeks from the closing of a given term;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That all future sessions of the North Carolina Conference be held at Bennett College, Greensboro, North Carolina;

AND BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED:

That the cabinet be duly authorized to appoint the appropriate com-

mittee to be known and function as the committee on entertainment of the Annual Conference and the chairman of such committee to be known and function as the Conference Registrar.

The above resolution was presented by Richard C. Erwin and was duly seconded. Thereafter the following amendment was offered by Reverend R. B. McRea: That the next session of the Annual Conference be held at John Wesley Methodist Church in Fayetteville, North Carolina. The amendment was properly seconded and after discussion the vote was taken on the amendment as follows:

For the amendment: 45

Against the amendment: 50.

Thereafter Richard C. Erwin, having voted with the majority, moved that the amendment be reconsidered and said motion was duly seconded. By showing of hands, the motion to reconsider was adopted. After discussion and by showing of hands, the amendment was voted upon in the affirmative and adopted.

Thereafter the original resolution as stated above was voted upon as amended above and by showing of hands, the resolution as amended was declared adopted.

NOTE: The next session of the North Carolina Annual Conference to be held at John Wesley Methodist Church, Fayetteville, North Carolina and the following session to be held at Bennett College, Greensboro, North Carolina.

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION
TO
ALVIN L. MORRISON

Bishop Love, Officials and Members of the North Carolina Annual Conference:

WHEREAS, Alvin L. Morrison, Conference Lay Leader to recent date, who by reason of his health has given up the position of Lay Leader of the North Carolina Annual Conference;

AND WHEREAS, the lay work of our conference has become more effective under his wise and brotherly leadership; and in the opinion of the undersigned, the greatest achievement that Brother Morrison has accomplished and will stand as a beacon of his leadership is the Annual Lay Retreat of the North Carolina Conference which is now in its third year;

AND WHEREAS, Brother Morrison's Christian attitude, his devotion and loyalty to his position makes it necessary to present this resolution to inspire others to do as well as he has done and to formally thank him by this Annual Conference for a job well-done;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

1. That this Annual Conference officially thank Brother Alvin L. Morrison for a job well-done as a Christian Leader.

2. That this resolution become a part of the official records of this the 100th session of the North Carolina Annual Conferance with the hope that the contents of this resolution will inspire others.

3. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Mr. Alvin L. Morrison.

The above resolution was presented by the Board of Lay Activities to Mr. Alvin L. Morrison at the 100th session of the North Carolina Annual

Conference of the Methodist Church in session at Bennett College in Greensboro, North Carolina June 14, 1958.

Clarence M. Winchester, President
Richard C. Erwin, Secretary

The above resolution was unanimously adopted.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the North Carolina Annual Conference held in Bennett College, Greensboro, N. C. from June 10, 1958, through June 15, 1958. Bishop Edgar A. Love, Presiding. Organized February 8, 1837. 100th Session.

PART I. ORGANIZATION AND GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Who are elected for the quadrenium: Secretary? William R. Crawford, 1701 Shadymount Avenue, Winston-Salem, N. C. Statistician? J. J. Patterson, 755 Washington Street, High Point. Treasurer? J. W. Gwynn, 1815 E. 4th Street, Winston-Salem, N. C.
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? Yes.
3. Bonding and auditing:
   a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in what amounts? L. A. Brown, $10,000.00 Conference Treasurer; J. E. Brower, $1,000.00, Treasurer of Trustees.
   b) Have the books of said officers of persons been audited? Yes.
4. Have the conference boards, commissions, and committees been appointed or elected?
   a) Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications? Yes.
   b) Committee on Conference Relations? Yes.
   c) District Committees on Ministerial Qualifications? Yes.
   d) Committee of Investigation? Yes.
   e) District Boards of Church Location and Building? Yes.
   f) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference? Yes.
   g) Commission on World Service and Finance? Yes.
   h) Commission on Town and Country? Yes.
   i) Deaconess Board? Yes.
   j) Board of Missions? Yes.
   k) Board of Education? Yes.
   l) Board of Temperance? Yes.
   m) Board of Lay Activities? Yes.
   n) Board of Hospitals and Homes? Yes.
   o) Board of Evangelism? Yes.
   p) Board of Pensions? Yes.
   q) Commission on Christian Vocations? Yes.
   r) Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service? Yes.
   s) Commission on Minimum Salaries? Yes.
   t) Commission on Promotion and Cultivation? Yes.
   u) Committee on Reserve Pensions? Yes.

v) Quadrennial Committee on Local-Church Goals?

w) Optional commissions and committees? Yes.

5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by The Methodist Church? Yes.

6. What is the report of the statistician? (See report.)

7. What is the report of the treasurer? (See report.)

8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? (See supplementary report.)

9. What is the schedule of minium salaries for pastors? $1,800.00

10. What is the plan and what are the approved claims for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year? $4,000.00 salary and $500.00 expense, $600.00 parsonage.

11. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of confenence claimants? 15% of the pastor's cash salary.

12. What are the apportionments to this conference:

a) For the World Service Fund? 47.8% or $14,834.00

b) For the Episcopal Fund? 2% of the pastor's cash salary

c) For the General Administration Fund? 1.9% or $531.00

d) For the Interdenominational Co-operation Fund? 1.4% or $421.00

e) For the Jurisdictional Administration Fund? 1.7% or $480.00

13. What is the percentage division between world service and conference benevolences for the current year: World service? Conference benevolences?

14. What are the reports, recommendations, and plans of the conference agencies:

a) What is the report of the Board of Pensions and what appropriations for conference claimants are reported and approved?

b) What is the report of Missions of disbursements of missionary aid within the conference? (See report.)

c) What is the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance? (See report.)

d) What is the report of the Commission on Christian Vocations? (See report.)

e) What are the other reports? (See reports.)

15. What Methodist institutions or organizations are approved by the conference for annuity responsibility?

16. What date is determined for Golden Cross Enrollment Sunday?

17. Conference lay leader:

a) Clarence M. Winchester, P. O. Box 1621, Greensboro, N. C.

b) What is his report?

c) Who are district and associate lay leaders?
Greensboro District: J. W. Sapp, District Lay-Leader; Associate Lay-Leaders: E. M. Townes, Harry Whitsett, C. H. Flagg, and Arthur Crump
Laurinburg District: Bruce Hargroves, District Lay-Leader; Associate Lay-Leaders: S. T. Brooks, Edward Henderson, and F. W. Douglas
Western District: Paul Williams, District Lay-Leader; Associate Lay-Leaders: C. A. Brown, Ray Cabiness, and D. E. Forney
Winston District: Richard C. Erwin, District Lay-Leader; Associate Lay-Leaders: A. W. Harper, T. A. Brower, L. H. Jones, and Coy Payne

18. What local churches have been: Not any

a) Organized?

b) Merged?

c) Discontinued?

d) Relocated, and to what address?

e) Transferred into this conference from the Central Jurisdiction, and with what membership?
1) This year?
2) Previously?

PART II. PERTAINING TO MINISTERIAL RELATIONS

19. Are all the ministerial members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration? Yes.

20. Who constitute the Conference Committee of Investigation? (See Committees)

21. Who are the Approved Supply Pastors?

a) Student approved supply pastors?, and in what schools are they enrolled? None.

Greensboro District: L. W. Coletrain, W. N. Johnson, R. M. Martin, J. H. Minor, F. D. Morehead, W. N. Napper, I. C. Spinks

Laurinburg District: E. C. Campbell, Walter Davis, A. H. Douglas, John McErchan, D. R. McGrit, J. W. McRae, J. H. Shivers, John Monroe.

Western District: John Bowman, O. S. Davenport, B. J. Dula, C. O. Hill, John F. Hill, Willie V. Eleaser, T. D. McCorkle (retired), Charles Tyson, R. H. McDowell.

Winston District: P. G. Carter, L. B. Eldridge, L. H. Jones, Buford Miller, Samuel NeSmith, Otto Withers.

b) Part-time approved supply pastors, and what progress has each made in the course of study?

c) Full-time approved supply pastors, and what progress has each made in the course of study?

22. What approved supply pastors are credited with annuity claim on account of full-time service during the past year? None

23. What preachers, coming from other evangelical churches, have had their orders recognized:

b) As local elders? A. H. Douglas (African Methodist Episcopal Church)

24. Who have been admitted from other evangelical churches as traveling preachers:

a) As members on trial: Deacons? None
Elders? None

b) As members in full connection: Deacons? None
Elders? None

25. Who are admitted on trial:

a) With degrees from approved colleges and credits from approved schools of theology? None

b) With degrees from colleges not accredited by the University Senate and credits from approved schools of theology? None

c) With degrees from approved colleges and completion of the introductory studies for the ministry? None

d) With partial college credit, completion of the four-year course of study, and six years' service as approved supply pastors? None

26. Who are continued on trial; and what progress have they made in their ministerial studies:

a) In approved schools of theology? None

b) In the four-year course of study? Esau Alfred Williams, 1st year; Liston Sellers, 2nd yr.; Harry A. Smith, 3rd yr.; Elwood J. Jones, 4th yr.

c) In the two years of special study? None

27. Who on trial are discontinued? None

28. Who are admitted into full connection? James Franklin Campbell, Harlon London, Avery Elwood Robinson.

29. Who have been elected deacons:

a) Theological students? None

b) Members on trial in the course of study? Elwood Jennings Jones

c) Approved supply pastors? Robert Marion Martin, Buford Curbin Miller

d) Other local preachers?

e) Missionaries? 0

f) Chaplains? 2

30. Who have been ordained deacons? Elwood Jennings Jones, Robert Marion Martin, Buford Curbin Miller

31. Who have been elected elders:

a) Theological graduates? Harold London, Miles Murphy, Jr., Avery Elwood Robinson

b) Course of study graduates? None

c) Approved supply pastors? None

d) Other local preachers? None

e) Missionaries? None

f) Chaplains? None

32. Who have been ordained elders? Harlon London, Miles Murphy, Jr., Avery E. Robinson

33. Who have been admitted or ordained to accommodate other conference:

a) Admitted: On trial? None
Into full connection? Harlon London

b) Ordained after election by this conference: Deacons?
Elders? Harlon London

c) Ordained after election by other conferences: Deacons?
Elders? Gilbert Haven Caldwell, Jr. (to be Ordained elsewhere)

34. Who are readmitted:

a) As deacons? None

b) As elders? None

35. What retired members have been effective? None

36. Who have been received by transfer? None

37. Who have been transferred out? Gilbert Haven Caldwell, Jr., New England Southern Conference, June 8, 1958; Harlon London, Southwest Conference, June 14, 1958.

38. Who have had their conference membership terminated:

a) By voluntary location? None

b) By involuntary location?

c) By withdrawal?

d) By judicial procedure (expelled)?

39. Deceased:

a) What ministerial members have died during the year?
Retired: T. C. Frazier, died 1958, received into full connection in a conference in 1906
Effective: J. L. Alford, died 1958; Beverly Brown, died 1957, received into full connection in a conference in 1943; T. H. Wootten, died 1957, received into full connection in a conference in 1931; B. J. Stewart, died 1958, received into full connection in a conference in 1937.

b) What approved supply pastors have died during the year? W. S. Berry

c) What deaconesses have died during the year? None

40. Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? None

41. Who are granted sabbatical leave?

42. What ministerial members have been retired:

a) This year? B. F. Gleaves

b) Previously? B. L. Burge, H. H. Davis, E. Frost, W. T. Lomax, J. H. Ledwell, E. M. McLeod, D. C. Skeen, J. W. Shuford, R. W. Winchester, and B. F. Gleaves

43. What approved supply pastors have been retired:

a) This year? None

b) Previously? T. D. McCorkle

44. Who are appointed to attend school? James Franklin Chapbell and Theadore Powell

45. What is the number of:

a) General Information:
Pastoral charges? 86
Approved supply pastors? 29
Received on trial? O
Received into full connection? 3
Transferred in? 0
Total value?

Transferred out? 2
Received from other evangelical churches? 0
Readmitted? 0
Discontinued? 0
Withdrawn? 0
Expelled? 0
Indebtedness?
Located? 0
Deceased? 6
Local preachers?
Women under appointment? 1
Retired made effective? 0
Retired serving as supply pastors? 6
District parsonage? 0

b) Ministerial members:
(1) On trial:
(a) As pastors? 6
(b) Under special appointment? 0
(c) Appointed to attend school? 2
Total on trial? 8

(2) In full connection:
(a) Effective:
(i) As pastors and district superintendents? 58
(ii) Under special appointment? 6
(iii) Appointed to attend school? 0
(iv) On sabbatical leave? 0
Total effective? 58
(b) Retired? 10
(c) Supernumerary? 0

Total ministerial members: (Add total on trial, effective, retired, and supernumerary.) 76

46. What other personal notation should be made?

PART III. CONCLUDING BUSINESS

47. What are the detailed objectives of this conference for the coming year?

48. Where shall the next conference be held? Fayetteville, N. C.

49. Is there any other business? No

50. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference Session? None

51. Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year? (See list of appointments.)

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS

(Central Jurisdiction, The Methodist Church)
Parentheses denote supply pastor; * denotes change

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

W. T. Brown, Superintendent

Bases Chapel and Raleigh Crossroads ..... Eugene Black
Bethel and Wentworth ..... E. J. Jones*
Brown Summit Circuit ..... (W. L. Napper)*
Collins Grove ..... T. C. Tarpley

Cox Chapel and Shady Grove ..... C. G. Bynum
Durham ..... Douglas E. Moore
Empire Circuit ..... (F. D. Morehead)
GREENSBORO:
Browning Chapel ..... C. C. Armstrong
Mount Tabor ..... (J. W. Shuford)
St. Matthews ..... J. E. Brower
South Greensboro ..... W. R. Royster
Union Memorial ..... G. M. Phelps
Warren Street and Mt. Carmel ..... F. D. Caldwell
Kernersville ..... (W. T. Lomax)*
Laughlin Memorial and Ramseur ..... L. J. Sellers
Leaksville ..... J. G. Corry
Mount Zion and Zion Hill ..... (J. H. Minor)
Newport News ..... Esau A. Williams*
Oxford Circuit ..... (L. W. Coltrane)
Raleigh ..... O. W. Burwick*
Randleman ..... (I. C. Spinks)
Reidsville ..... G. H. Caldwell
St. James and Summerfield ..... (W. N. Johnson)
Saint Peters ..... (R. M. Martin)
Wesley and Chapel Hill ..... W. E. Hairston
Missionary Secretary—C. C. Armstrong; Secretary of Evangelism—O. W. Burwick; Secretary of Temperance—L. J. Sellers; Director of Stewardship—V. J. Caveness; Director of World Peace—J. G. Corry

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

R. C. Sharpe, Superintendent

Bolton ..... O. M. Graham*
Charlotte ..... C. E. Strickland
Fairmont and St. Mark ..... (John Monroe)*
Fayetteville ..... R. B. McRae
Goldsboro ..... (Harland London)*
Hamlet ..... D. M. McLean
Hickory Bend ..... (D. R. McGirt)*
Hoffman and Millers ..... John McEachin
John's Station and Piney Grove ..... J. H. McCallum
Laurinburg ..... G. E. Hogue
Lumberton and Beauty Spot ..... J. W. Ferree
Maxton ..... J. S. Mills
Mt. Zion and Philadelphia ..... I. A. Friend*
Pembroke and New Zion ..... (E. C. Campbell)
Red Springs ..... F. F. McCallum
Rowland and Salem ..... J. F. Sawyer
Sanford Circuit ..... (A. H. Douglas)
St. Peters and Southern Pines ..... Walter Davis*
Wilmington ..... J. H. Shivers
Missionary Secretary ..... C. E. Strickland
Secretary of Evangelism ..... J. W. Ferree
Secretary of Temperance ..... J. F. Sawyer
Director of Stewardship ..... S. T. Brooks
Director of World Peace ..... O. M. Graham

WESTERN DISTRICT

H. W. Phillips, Superintendent

Asheville ..... Marshall McCallum
Boone and Beaver Creek ..... (O. S. Davenport)
Catawba Circuit ..... (R. H. McDowell)*

Forest City and Union Mills ..... C. L. Gidney*
Franklin ..... To be supplied
Gastonia ..... J. T. Jones
Hickory and Conover ..... R. D. Sharpe
Kings Mountain ..... G. W. Patterson
Lenoir and Warrior ..... S. L. Townsend
Lincolnton Circuit ..... (C. O. Hill)
Lowesville ..... M. S. Laughlin*
Marion ..... D. S. Harkness
Mooresville ..... J. Q. Dula
Mooresboro and Philadelphia ..... S. B. McBrayer
Mount Holly ..... (B. L. Burge)
Newton and Granite Falls ..... A. W. Stowe*
Old Fort ..... (John Bowman)
Shelby and Brooks ..... A. E. Robinson*
Stanley, St. Paul and Bessemer ..... (B. J. Dula)
Statesville Circuit ..... C. W. Bailey
West Asheville ..... (Willie V. Leazer)
Wilkesboro Circuit ..... (Charles Tyson)
Missionary Secretary ..... J. T. Jones
Secretary of Evangelism ..... A. W. Stowe
Secretary of Temperance ..... S. L. Townsend
Director of Stewardship ..... J. Jolly
Director of World Peace ..... D. S. Harkness

WINSTON DISTRICT

L. A. Brown, Superintendent

Advance ..... (L. H. Jones)*
Asheboro ..... J. W. Jones*
Elkin and Jonesville ..... J. B. Bethea
High Point:
Brooks Memorial ..... W. S. McLeod
St. Mark ..... J. J. Patterson
Lexington ..... G. A. Brooks
Madison ..... H. A. Smith*
Mitchell ..... Open
Mt. Airy, Jonesville and Walkertown ..... (L. B. Eldridge)
Oak Grove ..... (Otto Withers)
Penhook ..... (Buford Miller)
Pilot Mountain ..... (P. G. Carter)
Thomasville:
East Thomasville ..... J. D. Ashford*
St. John ..... W. J. Cameron
Trinity Circuit ..... W. P. Cole
Winston-Salem:
Mt. Pleasant ..... W. R. Crawford
St. Andrews and Walnut Cove ..... J. W. Gwynn
Saint Home ..... R. F. McCallum
Saint Paul ..... L. M. Mayfield
Missionary Secretary ..... R. F. McCallum
Secretary of Evangelism ..... J. W. Jones
Secretary of Temperance ..... J. J. Patterson
Director of Stewardship ..... Charles Tyson
Director of World Peace ..... W. R. Crawford

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

Conference Executive Secretary ..... Douglas E. Moore
Chaplain, United States Army ..... P. W. Jenkins

Professor, Wiley College ..... J. E. McCallum
Allen High School ..... Winifred M. Wrisley, Deaconess
Director, Wesley Foundation,
A. & T. College, Greensboro, N. C. ..... John G. Corry
Director, Wesley Foundation,
North Carolina College at Durham ..... Douglas E. Moore

LEFT WITHOUT APPOINTMENT TO ATTEND SCHOOL

Theodore Powell
James F. Campbell

SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS

Conference Director of Stewardship ..... Marshall McCallum
Conference Missionary Secretary ..... W. J. Cameron
Conference Secretary of Evangelism ..... R. F. McCallum
Conference Secretary of Temperance ..... W. S. McLeod

COMPOSITE REPORT OF THE DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Bishop Love, Members and Friends of the One Hundredth Session of the North Carolina Annual Conference, Greetings!

It is with a deep sense of pleasure and humility that I present this, my first report as District Superintendent of the Greensboro District. I am especially happy to present my first report at this One Hundredth Anniversary Session.

I thank our Heavenly Father for giving me strength and guidance during the year.

Bishop Love, I thank you for appointing me to this high and challenging position. The opportunities for service are unlimited.

Again, Bishop Love, I thank you for your brotherly spirit and advice.

Moreover, I thank the Reverend R. C. Sharpe of the Laurinburg District, the Rev. H. W. Phillips of the Western District, and the Rev. L. A. Brown of the Winston District, for their inspiration and cooperation.

Then again, I thank the ministers and laymen of the District for their excellent support. Iam especially thankful to Mrs. D. P. Jones, District President of the Woman's Society of Christian Service; to Mr. Clarence M. Winchester, District Lay Leader; and, to Miss Etta Woodford, District Director of Youth Work, for their excellent work and cooperation.

This brings me to a consideration of District activities during the year.

EMPHASIS ON EVANGELISM

I have laid special emphasis upon Evangelism this year. Evangelism is basic to all the other work of the Church. Dr. Julian Hartt, Professor of Theology, Yale University, is right when he says, ". . . evangelism is the root reason for the Church's existence. For what is evangelism if it is not the showing forth of the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ to a world lost without it. Evangelism is the heart of the Church.

Evangelism is a name for an organization reaching out of Christian love to embrace the whole world."

Twentieth century man has settled into disillusion and despair. The good news of Christ is what he desperately needs.

One way I have emphasized evangelism was by purchasing and selling evangelistic literature to the ministers and laymen on the District. One hundred and nine copies of the Local Church Emphasis Booklet on **Evangelism**, and thirty copies of the booklet, **The Good News of God**, were sold on the District.

There were discussions on evangelism in all the second and third quarterly conferences. Special emphasis was laid on the organization of prayer groups in all the charges on the District. Special emphasis was also laid on the holding of prayer virgils.

Our District Conference was held at Warren Street Church, Greensboro, April 17-18, 1958. The Rev. F. D. Caldwell was host pastor. Brother Caldwell and his people entertained us royally.

Most of our District Conference sessions were devoted to addresses and discussions on "The Nature and Task of Evangelism." The Rev. D. E. Moore spoke on "Contemporary America: A World in Turmoil, and Signs of Hunger"; The Rev. W. R. Royster on "The Message of Evangelism in the First Century"; The Rev. W. E. Hairston on "The Message of Evangelism in the Twentieth Century"; the Rev. G. H. Caldwell on "The Church As Evangelist"; the Rev. J. E. Brower on "Individual Christians As Evangelists"; the Rev. John G. Corry on "The Preacher as Evangelist." Lively questions and discussions followed each address.

At the Laymen's Hour, Mr. C. M. Winchester, District Lay Leader, presented Mrs. Margaret Minor, Miss Geraldine Donnell, Mr. Hugh Crawford, and Mr. E. L. Raiford. Each gave excellent presentations on the place of the layman in the program of evangelism.

At the women's hour, Mrs. Dorthy P. Jones, District President of the Women's Society of Christian Serivce, and Mrs. W. L. Napper, District Spriritual Life Secretary of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, led a most beautiful and most inspiring "Service of Intercession."

Three other highlights of the District Conference were a musical program by the Bennett College Quartet, inspiring evangelistic sermons by the Rev. Roy Putnam of the Western North Carolina Conference, the Rev. G. M. Phelps, and the Rev. Clinton C. Armstrong, and an all night prayer virgil.

EMPHASIS ON CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

We held a District Youth Rally at Union Memorial Church, Greensboro, October 11- 12, 1957. The Rev. G. M. Phelps and his members gave us first-rate entertainment.

Courses were offered in the five program areas of the Methodist Youth Fellowship. "Youth and Christian Faith" was taught by the Rev. J. G. Corry; "Youth and Christian Witness" was taught by the Rev. J. E. Brower; "Youth and Christian Outreach" was taught by Miss Fannie McCallum; "Youth and Christian Citizenship" was taught by Miss Serena Staggers; and, "Youth and Christian Fellowship" was taught by Miss Etta Woodfork.

Inspirational messages were delivered by the Rev. Garland Young, student at Duke University Divinity School, and by Bishop E. A. Love, our Resident Bishop.

EMPHASIS ON STEWARDSHIP AND FINANCE

In the thirty-first, thirty-second, and thirty-third verses of the Sixth Chapter of the Gospel of St. Matthews, Jesus said, "Therefore take no thought saying, What shall we eat? or, What shall we drink? or, Wherewithal shall we be clothed? For your heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need of all these things. But seek ye first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness and all of these things will be added unto you."

When Jesus spoke these words, I believe He meant exactly what He said. It is my firm conviction that if we will seek God's Kingdom first, that is, if we give spirituality first place in our lives, all of our material needs will be added. I believe that if we would truly seek the Kingdom of God first that we would not have any difficulty raising money to carry on the work of our churches. With this conviction, I have preached on every charge on the District on the text: "Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God and His Righteousness, and all of these things will be added unto you."

The Council on World Service and Finance has published a **Manual on Finance for The Methodist Church, 1956-1960 Quadrennium.** Twenty-seven copies of this manual were purchased and sold to ministers and laymen on the District.

SUMMARY OF WORK ON THE CHARGES

Raleigh Cross Road and Basses Chapel: Eugene Black, Pastor. Brother Black and his members have done good work. This charge made the second best reports to the Quarterly Conferences held on the District this year.

Brown Summit: W. T. Lomax, Pastor. The Jackson Church on this charge is planning to build. The Camp Springs Church has been beautifully decorated on the inside and the yard has been beautifully landscaped.

Durham: D. E. Moore, Pastor. This church is well organized. It has as many Sunday School members as it can adequately take care of at the present. Sixteen persons have joined the church this year. Beautiful brass candle sticks and a cross have been placed on the altar. A beautiful dossal curtain has been placed over the altar. A beautiful carpet has been placed on the floor.

Collins Grove: T. C. Tarpley, Pastor. The pastor and members have done excellent work this year. This is one of the most modern church buildings on the District. Beautiful shrubbery has been planted. Plans are being made to complete the landscaping in the near future.

Empire Circuit: F. D. Morehead, Pastor. Pastor and members are happy. A new roof has been placed on Stout's Chapel. Money is now being raised to build a new church at Piney Ridge.

Browning Chapel: C. C. Armstrong, Pastor. This charge continues to make progress under its great leader, Dr. C. C. Armstrong. The debt on the church has been paid and the pastor and members are now ready for the burning of the mortgage and dedication service.

Mt. Tabor: J. W. Shuford, Pastor. Brother Shuford and his fine laymen are doing excellent work.

St. Matthews: J. E. Brower, Pastor. The pastor and members have done good work this year. Recently the church was painted both inside and outside.

South Greensboro: W. R. Royster, Pastor. This charge continues to go forward under the excellent leadership of Brother Royster. It has great possibilities.

Union Memorial: G. M. Phelps, Pastor. Brother Phelps has done a great job this year. Forty-six new members have been added to the church. A complete paint job has been done on the outside of the church.

Warren Street and Mt. Carmel: F. D. Caldwell, Pastor. Brother Caldwell was sick for several weeks during the year. Yet, he has raised his full apportionment of $1,430.00.

Kernersville: W. L. Napper, Pastor. Brother Napper has done a good job. Money is being raised to build a new church at Wentworth.

Reidsville: G. H. Caldwell, Pastor. Brother Caldwell was appointed to this charge late in the Conference year. Taking this under consideration, he has done well.

Leaksville: John G. Corry, Pastor. This charge is moving forward rapidly under the dynamic leadership of its young pastor. This charge made the best reports to the Quarterly Conference held on the District this year. It has the possibilities for becoming a first class appointment in the near future.

Mt. Zion and Zion Hill: J. H. Minor, Pastor. Brother Minor and his people are doing nicely. A beautiful new pulpit set has been purchased by the Zion Hill Church.

Newport News and Pleasant Ridge: The late Rev. W. S. Beary, Pastor. Bishop Love dedicated the church at Pleasant Ridge last September. Money is now being raised to build a new church in Newport News.

Brother Beary died suddenly Sunday, June 8, 1958. A great soldier has fallen on the battlefield.

Bullock and Townsville: E. J. Jones, Pastor. Brother Jones was appointed to this charge late in the year. Yet, he has done an excellent job.

Oxford: L. W. Coltrane, Pastor. Brother Coltrane was appointed to this charge late in the year. He and his members are doing nicely.

Raleigh: C. L. Gidney, Pastor. Brother Gidney has done good work this year. This charge could become one of the leading appointments in the Conference.

Randleman: I. C. Spinks, Pastor. This charge has taken on new life under the leadership of Brother Spinks.

St. James and Summerfield: W. N. Johnson, Pastor: This charge is moving forward under the leadership of Brother Johnson.

St. Peters: R. M. Martin, Pastor. Brother Martin is still leading this charge forward.

Wesley Chapel and Chapel Hill: W. E. Hairston, Pastor. Brother Hairston has done excellent work this year. He has just completed a beautiful brick church at Wesley Chapel. This church is truly a monument to Methodism in that community.

Cox Chapel and Shady Grove: C. G. Bynum, Pastor. This charge is struggling. The two churches could do a better job if they became one congregation.

Laughlin Memorial and Ramseur: Liston Sellers, Pastor. Brother Sellers was appointed to this charge late in the Conference year. Yet it is making great progress under his dynamic leadership. Money is being raised for a building program at Laughlin Memorial.

IN MEMORY

I could not close this report without saying a few words in the memory of those ministers who have passed on to the great beyond this year. Our all wise and loving Heavenly Father has seen fit to take from us this year, T. H. Wootten, Beverly Brown, T. C. Frazier, J. L. Alford, B. W. Stewart, and W. S. Beary. I believe that these Brethren have simply moved into a higher realm of service. I believe that in spirit they are still with us. I believe with the Rev. William H. Anderson, who said in the memorial address at New York East Conference in 1951, ". . . I believe will all my heart that they come back, or never leave us. We cannot see them, or hear them, or clasp their hands. Who would expect that? . . .

"The strength which comes in time of temptation, the comfort which comes in the hour of sorrow and loss, the encouragement which lifts and sends one back to the hard task—whence come these things? The members of this unbroken fellowship are with us still and any effectiveness our ministry has, is due in part to the help from the unseen spirit world. We are encompassed about by a great cloud of witnesses and they still share in our toil . . ."

CONCLUDING WORD

If there is any one thing that our world needs today above all other needs, it is prayer. So my closing words are the words of the great English poet, Alford L. Tennyson.

. . . More things are wrought by prayer
Than this world dreams of. Wherefore let thy voice
Rise like a fountain for me night and day.
For what are men better than sheep or goats
That nourish a blind life within the brain,
If, knowing God, they lift not hands of prayer
Both for themselves and those who call them friends?
For so the whole round earth is every way
Bound by gold chains about the feet of God.

Respectfully submitted
William T. Brown

THE LAURINBURG DISTRICT

Bishop Love, Honored Guest, Ministers and Friends of the North Carolina Conference. It is a source of real joy and pleasure to present our Annual Report.

The work on the Laurinburg District reflects the fine spirit of loyalty, and untiring work on the part of both ministers and laymen. Their work has been exceptionally commendable and shows increasing progress. The progress in different areas results from the continued blessings of our Heavenly Father and consecrated services and diligent labors of the ernest pastors, their wives, and faithful lay people of the district. I give them credit for the achievements and record my gratitude for their contributions.

Death has visited our ranks a number of times this conference year.

Rev. T. H. Wooten
Rev. Beverly Brown
Rev. T. C. Frazier
Rev. J. L. Alford
Rev. B. W. Stewart

Much sickness has been the experience of some of our fold. Some are still "shut-in". We may not report as much money this year, nevertheless, this has been a banner year, especially, in conversions and accessions. Use has been made of the District Staff to the extent many church will record large gains in membership.

COMMISSION ON MEMBERSHIP AND EVANGELISM:

This Commission has been quite active. In connection with their regular work, they have held a Christian Witness Mission in Lumberton, N. C., under the sponsorship of the Board of Education and Board of Evangelism.

EDUCATION:

Advances have been made in the District Youth Rally Day and Leadership School and work shops. A one day meeting has been held which proved very beneficial to the progress of our work.

MISSIONARY ACTIVITIES:

We have not been able to do in this area of our work all we had hoped. Yet, we realize the church or group that has not Missionary passion has lost it's soul. It is our desire however, to develop a real interest in others and become better equipped for missionary program.

FINANCE:

Like most projects or businesses this year, we are still having trouble keeping our heads above the water. The churches have raised an increasing amount for the building purposes this year. We, also, report noticeable increases in the salaries for, both, John Wesley and Simpson Memorial.

CHARGES:

Bolton—Brother E. M. McLeod, Pastor. Because of the long distance of commuting, this pastor has had quite a struggle.

Simpson Memorial, Charlotte, N. C., Rev. C. E. Strickland, Pastor. Brother Strickland has been able to get the good folk at Charlotte to accept his leadership. An important step we have been trying for twenty years was done this year—this—to re-locate. He found that a Presbyterial congregation was going to re-locate and, their church being located in what seemed to be the very place for our people, proceeded to negotiate for the property and was able to purchase the beautiful and very servicable property located at 1700 West Trade Street, Charlotte, N. C., just one block south of Johnson C. Smith University.

In as much as the owners wanted $60,000 for this most valuable property, the pastor and people were able to impress upon the owners our ability to pay a reasonable price, and that we were ready to do business when they were ready. So, we purchased this lovely property at a cost of $47,500.

It has put new life into the people and new disciples are being added to the church regularly. Today, they have received 26 of their goal which is 50 for the year. They have paid the first payment to the Board on the loan. The folk are in fine spirit and have a mind to work. I think it ought to be further stated that they are not trying to do this at the expense of the pastor or their claims.

Fairmont—Walter Davis, Pastor. Brother Davis has worked hard with these folk, and they are an appreciative people to serve.

John Wesley, Fayetteville, Brother R. B. McRae, Pastor. For twenty years we have needed a church there and I am most pleased to say that they are on the way now to the long looked for building—a church to the glory of God and the service to mankind. Brother McRae has been able to lead his folk to the point, in spirit and anticipation for this great achievement. The finest spirit exists there that I have experienced since being on the district.

The friends there in Fayetteville have pledged themselves in the struggle to build a church. They are also appealing to the Conference to now make good a pledge made three years ago, in Laurinburg.

Goldsboro—Brother Graham, Pastor. Goldsboro has come a long way in it's work. It is rather unfortunate for us that we are not strong enough there to have a resident pastor. With the minister living 65 miles and the salary being only $900 for full time service, you do not get the best results. Yet, Brother Graham has done a great work under the present conditions.

Hamlet—Brother McLean, Pastor. This church has made great progress this year and has been completely re-decorated in and outside. With much needed repairs, the building is in good physical condition. A new spirit has been born and they are now having a great spiritual experience. There were 22 added to this membership this year, and they have requested the return of the pastor.

Hickory Bend and St. Peter—Brother D. R. McGirt, Pastor. This has been a good year for Huffman. They have finished paying the debt on the church.

John's Station and Piney Grove—Brother J. H. McCallum, Pastor. Brother McCallum and these folk are getting on nicely together. The church is nearing completion at Piney Grove and there are plans in the making for John's to build in the distant future. They are also expecting the return of their pastor.

Laurinburg—Galilee and Beaver Dam—Brother G. E. Hogue, Pastor. Under the most trying circumstances, brother Hogue has kept near the hearts of his folk, and even though they had to move several times, since conference, he has kept faith with God and his people. Early in the year the church was condemned. They had to worship in the auditorium of the High School for a while—from there they went to the Laurinburg Institute; at present, they are worshiping at the County Fair ground. To add to all this, Mrs. Hogue was stricken with a serious illness and has spent near three months in the hospital. Mrs. Hogue is still on the critical list. Nevertheless, this minister has led his people with great courage and christian fortitude.

Laurinburg Ct.—Brother Miles Murphy, Jr., Pastor. They had a good year together and are planning an extended program for their church and community. During this year, they purchased some valuable property. The building was formerly used as a cafeteria and can now be used for the youth activities and educational work.

Lumberton—Beauty Spot—Brother J. W. Ferree, Pastor. This charge has had a good year. The pastor is doing nicely at both places. They have in the making some long range building program that will be given a larger place another year.

Maxton—Brother Mills, Pastor. Brother Mills is getting this group in hand and we are hoping by another year they will become conscious of their possibilities and get started on the building fund. We need a sanctuary there and to use the old building for youth activities.

Mt. Zion and New Zion—This charge has been "up-set" this year. The pastor has been sick most of the year. Shortly after conference, Rev. Gleaves became ill and had to stop trying to do his work. Brother Monroe and McEachain have been supplying the charge and are to be commended for the fine way in which they have served so acceptably.

Pembroke—Southern Pines—Brother Campbell, Pastor. He has had a good year at Pembroke. After two years they are asking for his return. The Indians are also anxious for his return. We will have to try to do something with Southern Pines in another channel.

Philadelphia—Brother D. C. Skeens, Pastor. There is no finer opportunity on the district than here. Brother Skeens was always conscious of the possibilities as well as their great needs. Therefore, since his illness, he is asking to be relieved of work so a younger man can go there and build a church. Brother Skeen has been sick since December and Brother Covington has been supplying for these good folk in the absence of their pastor.

Red Spring—Brother F. F. McCallum, Pastor. They have had a fair year together and it is hoped that the new conference year will bring renewed inspiration and they will see the light.

Rowland—Salem, Brother J. P. Sawyer, Pastor. Brother Sawyer is doing a splendid work. They have had 46 accessions this year and they are asking for his return. They also have a large group of young people to enter college this year.

St. Mark—Brother Davis, Pastor. Brother Davis has served these people for the past five months and another year with a different program, we believe they will be able to get off the ground.

Sanford Ct.—Brother A. H. Douglas, Pastor. This charge suffered the loss of it's pastor in the late fall. Brother Douglass has done very well there, and in the very near future, we are looking forward to beginning a building program at Mt. Olive. And now Bishop Love and Brethren, as Dr. Vernon W. Middleton said in his book "Alaska and Hawaii," New Patterns for living together. With the discovery of Gold on the Klondike in the Canadian Yukon, there came a great stampede to the territory.

There is nowhere in the North Carolina Conference more golden opportunity for the need of consecrated leadership than on the Laurinburg District, Dedicated to the Glory of God and the benefit of mankind, and great will be the harvest.

I want to thank you for the privilege of making this report.

Respectfully submitted,
R. C. Sharpe, Supt.

WINSTON DISTRICT

Bishop Love, fellow ministers, laymen, and visiting friends:

One cannot stand at this historic and prophetic session of the North Carolina Conference without a deep feeling of gratitude and a Divine sense of destiny. It is with such feelings that I come before you to make my first report in the capacity of district superintendent of the Winston District.

Before I proceed further I would like to pay tribute to my predecessor, the Reverend L. M. Mayfield, to whom I am indebted for having inherited the district in good condition. He is a man committed to the total program of the church, as his report will show, for he has carried this same spirit of complete dedication into his pastorate.

The grim reaper struck heavily at the North Carolina Conference this year. Among those were called home were the Reverend Benjamin Stewart, who was serving the Madison Charge on this district at the time of his passing; and his wife, Mrs. Stewart. The brethren will miss brother Stewart's genial and ready wit at this session of our conference.

When I came to the district the quadrennial goals had already been introduced. I have endeavored to inquire into the progress that each local church has made in the direction of their accomplishment, and emphasized the importance of their achievement.

The evangelistic program of the church as outlined by the General Board of Evangelism has been encouraged. Several churches report decided increases in membership.

Being a staunch apostle of the doctrine that the spirit in which one labors and gives is of primary essence, I have tried to share this conviction with the churches as I have visited them in my official capacity. I am happy to report that I have noted some progress in this area.

We have had a very successful District Youth Institute, and inspiring Youth Christian Witness, and an enjoyable and profitable District Conference.

Most of the churches on the district have either recently been repaired or are in the process of being repaired. At Mid-way, under the leadership of the Reverend Glenn A. Brooks, a beautiful new structure is going up that will cost approximately thirty-five thousand dollars. The people at Red Bank, under the leadership of the Reverend P. G. Carter; through great sacrifice, have built a neat little church; which was the seat of our District Conference. St. Paul, Winston-Salem, has under the administration of the Reverend L. M. Mayfield, launched a one hundred thousand dollar building fund drive. It is their hope that in the not too

distant future they will be able to 'build a House for the Lord' that will be a credit to the North Carolina Conference and Methodism as a whole. We are no longer a poverty stricken race. Many of our people are enjoying considerable prosperity which reflects itself in the homes we live in and the cars we ride in, and should reflect itself in the kind of churches we worship in.

As I have been privileged to travel over the Winston District I have tried to emphasize the responsibility and the rewards of Stewardship. I realize that the success of our churches, both spiritually and financially depends upon the acceptance by the membership of stewardship as a way of life. I am happy to see a growing acceptance of this idea among church members.

The Winston District is indeed fortunate to have as its lay leader, Attorney Richard C. Ervin, a young man of ability who is thoroughly acquainted with the program of the Methodist Church and dedicated to its great cause. He brings to his duties of district layman the same astuteness that makes him a successful lawyer.

No report of activities relating to the church would be complete without reference to the Woman's Society of Christian Service. It may aptly be referred to as the minister's 'right arm'. Under the untiring leadership of Mrs. Sophia J. East the women have gone forward on both the district level and in the local churches. Without their support I am sure that the reports of many of our ministers would fall far short.

The Ministers' Wives have accepted the challenge of helping to raise our Reserve Pension quota and are doing a commendable job in this respect. This is but one tangible expression of what the ministers' wives are doing in an organized way, but we all know that the scope and impact of the ministers' wives go far beyond what can be written in any report.

Time will not permit me to make individual mention of the work of each pastor, but I would like to say that we were very fortunate in being able to secure the Reverend F. J. Elliot to complete the work begun by brother Stewart. Much commendation is due him and the loyal members of the Madison Charge.

In conclusion I must say that whatever success I have been able to attain in this my first year as district superintendent of the Winston District has been due to the cooperation and support given me by the pastors and laymen of the district. I have enjoyed the work immensely, and the fellowship of the brethren has been a source of continous delight.

Respectfully submitted,
L. A. Brown
Dist. Supt. of the Winston District

WESTERN DISTRICT

H. William Phillips, District Supt.

Bishop Love, Brothers of the North Carolina Conference, Lay Members, Fraternal delegates and friends, it is with deep humility that I stand before you this day, to make my first report to my Annual Conference as District Superintendent of the Western District.

Before I go farther in this report, I should like to express my appreciation to Bishop Love and the members of the cabinet for their expression of confidence by appointing me to this most important work of the Methodist Church. With their continued confidence, prayers, encouragement and the inspiration that comes from above, the work shall be done.

Last June after we had settled down to our new appointments, or had resigned ourselves to our disappointments, there came to us shocking news of the passing of Brother Wooten, one who had so faithfully performed his duties as a soldier of Christ. To this friend and brother we pay the highest respect. As Brother Wooten's career ended, we realized that all the world's a stage, and all the men and women merely players; they have their exits and entrances; one man in his time plays many parts; consequently, when our lines are broken, for it has been broken many times this year, say not. for whom the bells toll, for in just a few days the bells will toll for thee.

We have on the Western District, a group of loyal ministers. They have been most cooperative in our efforts to carry out indispensable programs of the Methodist Church. Most of our brothers devote their full time to the ministry.

I dare not overlook the wives of our ministers, many of whom work away from home. And yet, because of their deep sense of loyalty to God and their husbands the work in the local churches has been enhanced by their presence. The report of the Ministers' Wives Association this year has more than surpassed my highest expectations, for our first year.

LAYMEN

Our laymen are doing great work all over the district. In many of the churches there are Methodist Men's Organizations. The district program is urging every church to establish a Fisherman's Club for the purposes of winning the unsaved for Christ, increasing the membership and deepening the spiritual life of the church and community.

EDUCATION

It is most unfortunate that the youth program is dead. If it were not for the Methodist Youth Fellowship groups in a few of the churches, the whole youth program would be a total loss. But we thank God that we are conscious of the prevailing conditions and are beginning to do something about it.

We are organizing a District Staff on Christian Education. A District Leadership Training School is planned for July. The officials of the churches, the Church School workers, and other interested persons of each local church on the Western District will participate.

How long will our conference disregard the command of our Lord, as He continually speaks to us saying, "Go . . . teach." Through sacrificial efforts we do and accomplish many things. It seems that as we celebrate the 100th Anniversary of our Conference, that one of the first acts of this celebration would be the correction of this make-believe program of Christian Education of our Conference. Let us have a full time program that will reach the most remote church of our conference. If we are to be assured of leadership tomorrow, the conference must act today.

The program on the Western District calls for 100 per cent participation of every minister in the cause of Christian higher education. We are urging our churches to give a minimum of $1.00 per member for schools and colleges and 35c per member for Wesley Foundations within the bounds of our conference. We also urge them to give generous offerings on Methodist Student Day, Rally Day, and Race Relations Sunday through the planned program.

MISSIONS

Through our newly organized District Council, we shall study and

promote our missionary work on the local church and district levels; and to see that the organization and work of the Commission on Missions be carried out. Through this medium we are hoping to distribute our missionary literature and use audio-visual aids to (1) acquaint the entire membership with the missionary program of the Methodist Church, (2) to observe the fourth Sunday in each month as World Service Sunday in the church and church school, and (3) to pay the World Service and Benevolence in full.

TEMPERANCE

A one day meeting was held at Lenoir, promoting the program of temperance. The day was most successful. Dr. A. R. Howard and others participated. Over sixty laymen were in attendance. Rev. S. L. Townsend was in charge of the meeting.

DISTRICT MEETING

We have had several district meetings. The brethren of the district have been very cooperative in helping to make these meetings meaningful. The District Conference held at Tucker's Grove Church was truly a period of spiritual inspiration and fellowship. The Rev. C. O. Hill was host pastor.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE

The Woman's Society of Christian Service is one of the most active groups on the district. Their district and sub-district meetings are held on regular schedules.

BUILDING PROGRAM

The most outstanding work in the building program was performed by the Rev. R. C. Sharpe and the good people of the McQueen Chapel Church at Conover. This small, daring group of people built and furnished one of the most beautiful church buildings in the North Carolina Conference. They were honored by having our beloved Bishop participating in the opening services.

There are other building programs planned at the following charges:

1. Catawba Circuit
2. King's Mountain
3. Mooresville Circuit
4. Lincolnton Circuit, and
5. Hunter's Chapel

The mortgages on the church buildings have been systematically reduced. Berry Temple at Asheville reduced the principal on their debt in the sum of four thousand dollars.

Some of our immediate objectives are:

1. To send a large district delegation to the youth assembly at Bennett College.
2. To encourage each church to study the new Discipline of the Methodist Church and strengthen the local church; improve the worship, the church school, the organizations and the stewardship life.
3. To win the un-churched to Christ and increase the membership.
4. To pay all district apportionments in full and report, if possible, the bulk of these askings by the Bennett College Roll Call, regardless of tradition.
5. To plan a program to raise our Reserve Pension Fund in full.
6. To give the ministers' wives our full support in their annual program for the benefit of the Pension Fund.

7. To support and equip a district office where all the supplies, records and equipment of the district can be kept.

8. To uphold and strengthen the Woman's Society of Christian Service, Board of Lay Activities, the Youth Fellowship, and the Young Adult Fellowship.

Our ultimate objective is:

To set aside one week and raise the entire amount in cash and pledges to build a district parsonage and office for the Western District.

Our motivation comes from these words:
Be strong, we are not here to play, to dream, to drift.
We have hard work to do and loads to lift.
Shun not the struggle, tis God's gift. Be strong.

Humbly submitted,
H. William Phillips, District Supt.

LAY MEMBERS TO ANNUAL CONFERENCE
WESTERN DISTRICT

Kings Mountain—Galilee, Miss Margaret Smith .... Kings Mountain, N. C.
Lincolnton Circuit, Miss Beulah Caldwell ..... Denver, N. C.
Philadelphia—Wilkesboro, Mrs. J. D. Morrison ..... Statesville, N. C.
St. Paul—Stanley, Mrs. Wells Neil ..... Rt. 2, Mooresville, N. C.
Shelby—Mooresboro, Mrs. Alma Hougue ..... Shelby, N. C.
Marion, Mr. William Long ..... Marion, N. C.
Catawba Ct., Mr. C. A. Brown ..... Star Route, Long Island, N. C.
Hickory—Conover, Mr. Theodore Powell ... Gammon Theo. Sem., Atlanta, Ga.
Phil. & Brooks, Mrs. Florence Elmore .. Lawndale, N. C.
Berry Temple, Miss Isabella R. Jones .. 340 College St., Asheville, N. C.
Lenoir—Warrier, Mr. E. S. Jones .... 108 Harrington St., Lenoir, N. C.
Newton—Granite, Mr. R. S. Beatty ..... Newton, N. C.
Statesville—Harpers, Mrs. Mary N. Morrison ..... Rt. 4, Box 76, Statesville, N. C.
Gastonia—Bessemer, Mr. L. L. Adams .... Box 166, Kings Mountain, N. C.
Lowesville Ct., Mrs. A. W. Stowe .. .... 106 Church Street, Boone, N. C.
Forest City, Mrs. Delila H. Knight ..... Box 187, Spindale, N. C.
W. Asheville
Franklin, Rev. A. E. Robinson ..... Gammon Theo. Sem., Atlanta, Ga.
Old Fort
Mooresville Ct., Mrs. E. C. Sherrill ..... Mooresville, N. C.
Mt. Holly—Hunters, Mrs. M. Ross ..... Mt. Holly, N. C.

ADOPTED BUDGET OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

Beginning June 16, 1958 and Ending near May 15, 1959

Bishop Love, your Commission on World Service and Finance of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church wishes to present its report for the coming Conference year. The Commission has considered sincerely and prayerfully, all requests, particularly where there has been request of increased budgets. We feel that it is in the interest of the Conference that items in our budget, where possible, without hindrance to work, remain the same.

I. The Commission recommends for your action and determination here and now, the following budgets for the Conference year beginning June 16, 1958 and ending near May 15, 1959—$31,161.00.

A. In addition to the $31,161.00, the Commission also recommends the amount of $1.30 (one dollar and thirty cents) per church member for Higher Education and the Wesley Foundation.

B. That a Reserve Fund be established by setting aside 5% of all gross income of the conference. In addition to the 5% of all gross income of the Conference, the Commission also recommends that $1,000 be apportioned to the several charges of the Conference annually, for this fund, until a total amount of $5,000 has been established.

C. That a Capital Fund of $10,000 be raised for Bennett College by the December Roll Call of 1959. ($5,000 to be reported Dec. 1958, and $5,000 to be reported December 1959).

D. For World Service General Administration and Annual Conference Benevolence $31,161

1. To be administered in the following apportionments:

(a) World Service	$14,834	or 47.8%
(b) General Administration	531	or 1.9%
(c) Jurisdictional Conference Expenses	480	or 1.7%
(d) Area Pastor's School	800	or 2.8%
(e) Interdenominational Cooperation	421	or 1.4%
(f) Area Expense	3,255	or 10.5%
(g) Annual Conference Benevolences	10,200	or 33.9%

2. That the Annual Conference Benevolences be administered as follows:

(a) Home Mission Board (for promotional work and field cultivation within the Conference)	$6,500	or 62%
(b) Board of Education:		
(1) Executive Secretary's Salary	1,500	or 14%
(2) Executive Secretary's Expenses	300	or 2.8%
(3) Board of Education Expenses	200	or 1.9%
(c) Board of Lay Activities	125	or 1.2%
(d) Secretary and Statistician Expenses	200	or 1.9%
(e) Home Mission Board Expenses	175	or 1.7%
(f) Commission on Town and Country Work	175	or 1.7%
(g) Board of Evangelism	125	or 1.2%
(h) Com. on World Service and Finance	100	or .9%
(i) Commission on Peace	100	or .9%
(j) Home Life Commission	40	or .3%
(k) Board of Temperance	125	or 1.2%
(l) Area Leadership School	400	or 3.9%
(m) Methodist Television Ministry	250	or 2.4%
(n) Board of Sec. and Ec. Relations	100	or .9%
(o) Methodist Information and Public Relations Commission	100	or .9%
(p) Commission on Cultivation and Prom	25	or .2%

II. That the Cabinet make the apportionments for the individual charges on the basis of the ratio that other apportionments are made.

A. Treasurer's expenses shall be 2% not to exceed five hundred ($500.00) of all funds collected.

B. That the Dist. Supts. receive a salary of $4,000 (Four thousand dollars) per year, travel expenses items at $500.00 (Five hundred dollars) and district parsonage rent at $600.00 (Six hundred dollars); making a total of $5,100.00 (Fifty-one hundred), to be prorated to each charge.

C. That the Episcopal Fund shall be an amount equal to two per cent (2%) of the Pastor's cash salary.

D. That the Conference Claimants shall be an amount equal to fifteen per cent (15%) of the pastor's cash salary.

E. That the Greensboro and Winston Districts be given 27% of all apportionments and that the Western and Laurinburg Districts be given 23% of all apportionments.

F. That each charge of the Conference observe the Special Days as required or set forth by the General Conference.

Report approved by the North Carolina Conference at its One-hundredth Session, Bennett College, Greensboro, North Carolina, entertaining June 10th through June 15th, 1958.

J. E. Brower, Chairman

FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT
BOARD OF PENSIONS

NORTH CAROLINA (CJ) ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Date of session June 5-9, 1957

RECEIPTS

Rate Paid $22.00

During 1956-57 to be distributed during 1957-58

Annual Conference Sources	
Balance Previous Year	$ 2,768.95
Pastoral Charges on Apportionment	16,239.00
Held by General Board of Pensions (Ill. Corporation)	1,367.56
Total Investment Income	1,367.56
General Board of Pensions	
Chartered Fund	80.00
Appropriation—Illinoise Corporation	700.00
Other Items	
Methodist Publishing House	1,373.04
Ministers' Wives MRPF	4,046.35
Charges, Pledges MRPF	9,840.50
Total	$36,415.40

PROSPECTIVE DISBURSEMENTS

During 1957-58 of funds collected during 1956-57

Regular Conference Claimants (On Basis of Service)	
Retired Ministers	7,796.00
Widows	6,736.00
Children	434.00
Total Regular Conference Claimants	14,966.00
Special Conference Claimants	
On Basis of Service	702.00
Total Special Conference Claimants	702.00
Other Items	
Payable to Clearinghouse	901.00
Trans. to Stab. Fund	1,000.00
Ministers' Wives MRPF	4,046.35

Chges. and Pledges MRPF	9,840.50
Trans. to MRPF	3,000.00
Retired	209.00
Claim for E. Frost SPC CC for 1955 and 1956	315.00
Prospective Balance	1,435.55
Total	$36,415.40

FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT BOARD OF PENSIONS

RECEIPTS 1957-58

Balance from previous year	$ 1,200.73
Pastoral Charges on apportionments	13,645.52
Income from investment—Permanent Fund	1,381.02
From Chartered Fund	80.00
Appropriation from General Board of Pensions	700.00
Appropriation from Methodist Publishing House	1,277.22
Total Receipts	$18,284.49

PROSPECTIVE DISBURSEMENTS FOR 1958-59

Due Regular Claimants	
For Service in this Conference	$14,355.00
For Service in other Conferences	376.00
Amount payable to the Clearinghouse	1,001.00
Due Special Conference Claimants	702.00
Transferred to Reserve Pension Fund	1,000.00
Prospective Balance	850.49
Total	$18,284.49

Respectfully submitted:
Conference Board of Pensions

TREASURER'S REPORT ON MAINTENANCE

From June 1, 1957 to May 31, 1958

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Brown Summit Circuit, Rev. W. T. Lomax	$ 150.00
Cox Chapel and Shady Grove, Rev. C. G. Bynum	335.00
Greensboro—Mt. Tabor, Rev. J. W. Shuford	150.00
Durham—Asbury, Rev. D. E. Moore	500.00
Bullock and Townsville, Rev. E. J. Jones	250.00
N. W. Greensboro—Warren St., Rev. F. D. Caldwell	400.00
Newport News, Rev. W. S. Berry	600.00
Wesley Chapel, Rev. W. E. Hairston	300.00
TOTAL	$ 2,685.00

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

Goldsboro, Rev. Oscar Graham	$ 400.00
Hoffman, Rev. John McEachin	600.00
Philadelphia, Rev. D. C. Skeen	350.00
TOTAL	$ 1,350.00

WESTERN DISTRICT

Franklin—New Hope, Rev. A. E. Robinson	$ 150.00
Gastonia, Rev. J. T. Jones	400.00
Mooresville, Rev. J. Q. Dula	200.00
Philadelphia, Rev. S. B. McBrayer	400.00
TOTAL	$ 1,150.00

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION

RETIRED MINISTERS

Year 1957-58 Annuity Rate $22.00; Conference; North Carolina (C

NAME	Total Years Approved	N. Car.		Other		Total Annuity	Annuity Supply
		Years	Annuity	Years	Annuity		
Burge, Benj. L.	44½	44½	979			979	
Davis, H. A.	28	28	616			616	
Frazier, Thomas C.	39	31	682	8	128	810	
Frost, Evangelist	11¾	11¾	259			259	165
Tedwell, James H.	18	18	396			396	
Lomax, Walter T.	46	46	1012			1012	
McLeod, Edward M.	29¾	29¾	655			655	44
Shuford, John W.	38½	38½	847			847	
Skeen, David C.	36	36	792			792	
Williams, D. Arthur	21	21	462			462	
Winchester, Robert W.	44	44	968			968	
TOTAL	356½	348½	7668	8	128	7796	209

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION

CHILDREN

Year 1957-58 Annuity Rate $5.50; Conference: North Carolina (CJ)

Name of Mother or Guardian Name of Child	Age	Fathea's Appr'v'd Years	N. Car.		Total Annuity
			Years	Annuity	
Campt, Mrs. L. M.					
Sylvia Jean	17	3¾	3¾	21	21
Hill, Mrs. Dock A.					
Linda Estella	9	21¼	21¼	117	117
Hill, Mrs. Dock A.					
Carolyn Matilda	6	21¼	21¼	117	117
Hill, Mrs. Dock A.					
Jackgulyn Arphfathia	5	21¼	21¼	117	117
Penn, Mrs. Amy W.					
Mary Jane Williams	19	11¼	11¼	62	62
TOTAL		78¾	78¾	434	434

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION

WIDOWS

Year 1957-58 Annuity Rate $15.40; Conference: North Carolina (CJ

NAME	Widows App'ved Years	N. Car. Years	N. Car. Annuity	Other Years	Other Annuity	Total Annuity
Ashe, Hugh L.	½	½	8			8
Campt, Lowell M.	3¾	3¾	58			58
Fink, Henry	6	6	92			92
Gannaway, Herbert, C.	18	18	277			277
Hall, J. W.	26¾	26¾	412			412
Hill, Dock A.	5½	5½	85			85
Houston, Holton H.	4½	4½	69			69
Howard, Charles E.	7¼	7¼	112			112
Isham, John H.	7¼	7¼	112			112
Johnson, Peter F.	40	40	616			616
Jones, Henry	13½	13½	208			208
Jones, John W.	8¾	8¾	135			135
Jones, M. M.	33¼	33¼	512			512
Kirkland, George D.	3	3	46			46
Laughlin, James A.	27	27	416			416
Laughlin, Marcus C.	24¾	24¾	381			381
Peace, Samuel F. B.	41½	41½	639			639
Peeler, S. A.	39½	39½	608			608
Robinson, Avery E.	10¼	10¼	158			158
Rush, J. C.	28½	28½	439			439
Simpson, John W.	8¼	8¼	127			127
Weatherby, R. T.	38¾	27¾	427	11	108	535
Webb, Prince W.	8½	8½	131			131
Wells, John W.	34	22	339	12	113	452
Wells, Pinkney I.	7	7	108			108
TOTAL	446	423	6515	23	221	6736

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION

SPECIAL CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS

Year 1957-59 Conference: North Carolina (CJ)
Annuity Rates: Retired $11.00; Widows $7.70; Children $2.75

Ministers	Years	Annuity
McCorkle, T. D.	14	154
Rush, E. A.	26¾	294
Thompson, Will		
McNair, Mrs. Henry	33	254
TOTAL	73¾	702

WINSTON DISTRICT

Elkin and Jonesville, Rev. J. B. Bethea	$ 500.00
Thomasville—St. John's, Rev. W. J. Cameron	400.00
Winston-Salem—Mt. Pleasant, Rev. W. R. Crawford	150.00
Hoover's Chapel, Rev. J. W. Jones	125.00
Trinity Circuit, Rev. W. P. Cole	500.00
TOTAL	$1,675.00
GRAND TOTAL	$6,860.00

REPORTS

MINISTERS' WIVES

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Mrs. W. S. Berry	$ 10.00
Mrs. I. C. Spinks	10.00
Mrs. J. H. Minor	10.00
Mrs. R. M. Martin	10.00
Mrs. E. J. Jones	10.00
Mrs. R. M. Winchester (Retired Minister's Wife)	15.00
Mrs. W. N. Johnson	15.00
Mrs. Beverly Brown (Deceased Minister's Wife)	20.00
Mrs. Douglas Moore	25.00
Mrs. L. W. Coltrane	30.00
Mrs. Eugene Black	30.00
Mrs. C. G. Bynum	35.00
Mrs. T. C. Tarpley	35.00
Mrs. W. T. Lomax	38.00
Mrs. J. W. Shuford	40.00
Mrs. W. N. Napper	40.00
Mrs. W. E. Hairston	40.00
Mrs. G. M. Phelps	50.00
Mrs. F. D. Morehead	52.00
Mrs. G. Haven Caldwell	60.00
Mrs. Liston Sellers	60.00

Mrs. C. L. Gidney	65.00
Mrs. J. E. Brower	100.00
Mrs. W. T. Brown	100.00
Mrs. John G. Corry	100.00
Mrs. F. D. Caldwell	122.00
Mrs. J. W. Hall (Deceased Minister's Wife)	10.00
Mrs. A. S. Peace (Deceased Minister's Wife)	17.00
Mrs. S. A. Peeler (Deceased Minister's Wife)	10.00
Mrs. M. M. Jones	2.00
TOTAL	$1,161.00

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

Mrs. D. C. Skeen	$ 3.00
Mrs. W. M. Gannaway (Deceased Minister's Wife)	5.00
Mrs. D. H. McLean	10.00
Mrs. F. F. McCallum	11.00
Mrs. Atho Webb (Deceased Minister's Wife)	12.00
Mrs. Nellie R. Wells (Deceased Minister's Wife)	22.25
Mrs. J. H. McCallum	25.00
Mrs. J. S. Mills	25.00
Mrs. G. E. Hogue	25.00
Mrs. R. C. Sharpe	25.00
Mrs. J. F. Sawyer	25.00
Mrs. A. H. Douglas	25.00
Mrs. T. H. Wooten (Deceased Minister's Wife)	25.00
Rev. Miles Murphy, Jr.	25.00
Mrs. J. W. Ferree	50.00
Mrs. C. E. Strickland	100.00
TOTAL	$ 413.25

WESTERN DISTRICT

Mrs. M. M. McCallum	$ 100.00
Mrs. S. B. McBrayer	35.00
Mrs. T. D. McCorkle	20.00
Mrs. J. T. Jones	50.00
Mrs. R. D. Sharpe	100.00
Mrs. S. L. Townsend	100.00
Rev. I. A. Friend	50.00
Mrs. C. O. Hill	40.00
Mrs. D. S. Harkness	35.00
Mrs. G. W. Patterson	50.00
Mrs. B. J. Dula	40.00
Mrs. B. L. Burge	100.00
Mrs. M. S. Laughlin	124.00
Mrs. O. S. Davenport	10.00
Mrs. A. W. Stowe	50.00
Mrs. Daisy Johnson	105.00
Mrs. J. Q. Dula	100.00
Mrs. H. W. Phillips	100.00
Mrs. C. W. Bailey	60.00
Mrs. Esau Williams	145.25
Rev. H. W. Phillips	50.00
Rev. J. D. Ashford	150.00
TOTAL	$1,614.25

WINSTON DISTRICT

Mrs. H. A. Smith	$ 79.75
Mrs. O. W. Burwick	100.00
Mrs. J. B. Bethea	80.00
Mrs. W. S. McLeod	100.00
Mrs. J. J. Patterson	102.00
Mrs. G. A. Brooks	100.00
Mrs. L. B. Eldridge	40.00
Mrs. Otto Withers	23.00
Mrs. Buford Miller	23.50
Mrs. P. G. Carter	78.00
Mrs. J. W. Jones	70.00
Mrs. W. J. Cameron	81.00
Mrs. W. P. Cole	153.50
Mrs. W. R. Crawford	86.00
Mrs. J. W. Gwynn	45.00
Mrs. R. F. McCallum	50.00
Mrs. L. M. Mayfield	206.50
Mrs. L. A. Brown	100.00
TOTAL	$1,518.25
MINISTERS' WIVES REPORT GRAND TOTAL	$4,706.75

THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Because we believe, as Methodist, that man must love God with his mind as well as with his heart and soul; because we believe that knowledge and piety are united; because we believe that the imprint of Christ can be made on growing persons through teaching, the Board of Education of the North Carolina Conference has a tremendous responsibility to God, to the Church and to those to whom it is their duty to nurture through multiple techniques of modern Christian education.

Our need for a stronger and more developed educational program in our Conference is obvious to those of us who are concerned. We realize that we are not moving ahead because of the lack of interest on the part of the ministers and laymen.

We know that when we compare our work with the total Church and with the Washington and Deleware Conferences in our own Area, that we are woefully inadequate. We are painfully aware of the fact that it takes money to run an up to date, productive, and challenging program of Christian Education. We are handicapped each year because there is not forthcoming enough money to do the job that needs to be done in the field of Christian Education. It is not sufficient for us to say we are small and do not have. It behooves us as responsible adults to find the money to do the job well.

Let us be utterly frank with ourselves. How can we meet the challenge of today's needs with a paper budget of twenty-six hundred dollars ($2,600)? Out of this amount must come the salary and travel of the Executive Secretary, support for the Youth Assembly, and delegates' expenses to various regional and national conferences, plus expense for district workers.

Each year we train sixteen persons at the Area Leadership School. But because we have no money, they cannot share their skills with the four districts. Their ministry of teaching is aborted because of the lack of funds.

In spite of our limited resources, we have made some progress with what we have to work. Last summer, we had our first Conference-wide Youth Assembly for many years. For four years or more our young people had been neglected. We had settled for district youth conferences in de-

moralizing rural settings that were dominated by adults. But last summer we brought together one hundred and five young people from across the state plus their adult advisors, twenty, which was an inspiring and uplifting experience for our youth.

Having had a wonderful experience here, our youth realized that they must go elsewhere to see what other youth were doing for the cause of Christ. They elected to visit the Youth Assembly of the Washington Conference. Our Youth Council, nine youth and four adult advisors, attended the Washington Conference Youth Assembly. From this experience our youth came back with a better vision of what they had to do.

On Saturday night you will see what our youth can do when they present the pageant. "The Challenge of the Cross." During the week the young people will contact you for support of a patron list and we hope that you will support them. Mrs. Barbara Wells, North Carolina's foremost secondary school dramatist will direct the drama. Our young folk have been working diligently on this pageant for the past few weeks that it might be worthy of your attendance.

In addition to sending our youth off for additional training, we also sent Rev. John G. Corry and Miss Hilda Withers to Pennsylvania for a leadership training conference for Conference Youth Directors and Conference youth presidents of the Methodist Youth Fellowship.

My friends, we know for a fact that the Church is now receiving its recruits for the ministry and other Christian vocations through its minor league, the youth fellowship on the Conference level. How are we to replace the men we lost last year if we do not get serious about the youth of this conference. If we do not we shall see the continued judgment of God against this Conference. This judgment is setting in now in that we are dying out rapidly.

Last summer we had twelve persons to attend the Area Leadership School. We feel that every local church in the conference ought to send at least one person. By doing this they would enhance the effectiveness of their teaching in the church school.

This summer our youth have been extended an invitation to attend the Youth Convocation at Lake Junaluska. Shall we send them or let them stay at home. Our older youth and college youngsters have been invited to attend the older youth camp at Camp Don Lee in Aprahoe, N. C. What shall we say to this invitation?

Our responsibility in the area of higher education is increasing each year. The challenge of the State College means that we must give more to Bennett College.

Our record as far as the Wesley Foundation support is concerned is not good. We bring our children up in the church school but when they go to college we forget them. The ideology that gets their minds during the formative years of college gets their allegiance.

Those conferences that have invested in Wesley Foundations are now reaping the benefits—replacements for the ministry. Our hope of having better church leaders and ministers lies in our expanded Methodist Student Movement activities. Oftimes we preach that what you sow you shall reap, and because we have sown nothing on our college campuses we are reaping very little.

Our hope for advancing the Kingdom lies in our universities and colleges. No longer can we rely upon the flow of men into our conference from the untrained ranks for the Discipline now makes clear what the educational standards are. We must either get to work on our college campuses or we must die from the lack of recruitment.

Our friends in the Western North Carolina and the North Carolina Conference (SEJ) have seen the need and the opportunity for reaching young men at A. & T. College and at North Carolina College. They have

appropriated six hundred dollars ($600) for work on each of these campuses. We gave nothing to student work last conference year and not very much more this year. What shall we do in the coming year? Will we raise our thirty cents per member as the Church asks?

We have been asked to participate on a full basis in the Interconference Commission on student work in 1960. That means that we shall plan and support the total student program for all of North Carolina. This will mean that we shall have to carry our share of the program.

Last year the Conference gave $131.00 on Methodist Student Day. Three of our students received National Methodist Scholarships totaling $1,500. At North Carolina College two of our students receives $250 each to finish college. We have been asked by the Board of Education to increase our giving to the Methodist Student Fund. What we have been receiving is way out of proportion to what we have been giving in return. Every church has a responsibility to give. One of our recipents last year was a farmer's daughter whose earnings had been rather poor. Had she not received help from other sources she would not have been able to go to college at all.

By having a Wesley Foundation on the state college campus we are able to meet the financial needs of our students. Because of our failure to organize our students on the state college level, many a deserving student has had to leave school because of lack of funds. And the tragedy is that we have it available but because we have not seen fit to place student workers on the state college campus, we have not had the organization channels through which to work.

My recommendations for the coming year are as follows:

1. That we increase our giving to the Board of Education.
2. That we send as many youth to the assembly as possible.
3. That we make preparation for Church School Rally Day now.
4. That the fourth Sunday be observed as World Service Sunday.
5. That a Workers' Conference be held on each district.
6. That we give the recommended thirty cents per member for the support of Wesley Foundations.
7. That we send delegates to the Southeastern Methodist Youth Convocation.
8. That we send older youth and single adults to Camp Don-Lee.
9. That each local church send at least one person to the Area Leadership School.
10. That Methodist literature be used in all of our Church schools.
11. That we send sixteen persons to the National Conference on Family Life in Chicago on October 17-19.

Yours in Christ,

Douglas E. Moore
Executive Secretary

COMMISSION ON WORLD PEACE
SOVIET-AMERICAN RELATIONS

Soviet-American tensions raises anew the whole question of the use of power and summons the churches to reaffirm the moral principles upon which Christian conduct is based. "There is a moral order upon which the fundamental and eternal is based, and which is relevant to the corporate life of men and the order of human society." Indifference to or violation of these principles results in sickness and suffering of society and contributes to the contemporary crisis.

America and Russia alike share in responsibility for present evils. A self-righteous separation from the responsibilities placed upon us by the possession of power, upon the ground that our power is the product of virtue, is to reject the obligations of stewardship, the stewardship of peace, and by refusal to meet our responsibilities is a contribution to the tyranny suffered by others as well as an accentuation of tensions.

We must direct our efforts toward the abolition of war and poverty and toward the establishment of an abundant life for the common man. The democratic principle must be extended to the economic order so that within the conditions of freedom, justice may be established. Christian brotherhood and democratic principles demand the end of racial segregation, A man's opportunity to earn his living should be based on his character and ability, not determined by his race, creed, or color. Men who have experienced liberty and are convinced that progress is being made toward equality and fraternity, are immune to communism. Communist bacteria find a congenial host in the empty stomach, the diseased body, the frustrated mind and the starved soul. The just society is impregnable, the unjust society is vulnerable no matter how great the armed force at its disposal. Thus our major attention should be directed to establishing the conditions of justice throughout the earth.

This makes it imperative that we give our careful and thorough consideration to disarmament proposals presented by Russia. A statement by the Presidium of the Academy of Sciences of the U. S. S. R. states: "The danger which hangs over mankind because of the possibility of using atomic energy for war purposes, is common to all countries, independent of their political and economic systems. We believe, therefore, that scientists of all countries should show their common concern with the dangers which threaten mankind, and combine their efforts in the fight for immediate prohibition of atomic weapons and of its tests and the prevention of wars. We Soviet scientists, express our full readiness for common effort with scientists of any other country to discuss any proposals directed towards the prevention of atomic war, the creation of secure peace, and tranquility for all mankind."

Even if this be just a propaganda device to focus the attention of the world upon Russia, America has had to meet this challenge and to show the world that she is equally willing to establish and create world peace, The only other alternative is that American should lose its world prestige in favor of the Soviet Union.

Respectfully submitted:
D. S. Harkness, Acting Chairman

BOARD OF EVANGELISM

Evangelism has always been looked to as the life blood of the church. Any church or denomination without the spirit of Evangelism is a dead or dying church.

Membership and evangelism is a required Commission of every church. Many of the churches have failed to organize the Commission, and some that have organized are failing to have it function.

Our Board has sustained during the year a great loss in the passing of its leader, Rev. Beverly Brown. Rev. Brown was an enthusiastic leader, a great evangelistic preacher, a tried friend. He died even in the moment when he was pouring out his very soul for the salvation of the people.

Christ left this great command to His disciples—"Go ye into all the world, preach my Gospel, teach all the nations. I will be with you always, even to the end of the world."

We are falling down on evangelism in the church. Every pastor is an evangelist and is required to keep his church spiritually warm and growing. If we choke out evangelism we dig out the very life roots of the church. No church can thrive and grow without the fervor and fire of evangelism.

There are communities all about us in the Conference where once were thriving Methodist churches. They dwindled to nothing—discarded, abandoned, useless and needless waste. Why such a condition? The lack of the fire of evangelism. We have gone looking for money, claims, prestige and to get a new assignment at the next Conference. Too many times other denominations of churches have moved in, taken over the same people, went where the people were, organized on our grounds with our people and today are carrying on active and thriving churches.

We take the attitude that when one becomes difficult to place in a charge, the conference assigns him to the field of evangelism with no resources at hand with which to work.

The membership on our charges is too fluctuating, it's both hot and cold, it's both decreasing and increasing.

The Board challenges the ministry, the laymen and all the people in the communities to keep or restore this life-blood to the church.

Respectfully submitted:
C. A. Barrett

THE BOARD OF SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC RELATIONS

Bishop, and members of the conference, The Board of Social and Economic Relations submits its report:

In the face of tension to the right of us and tension to the left of us, with confusion and anxiety in the center in the area of human relations this report is made. On the world front there is a crisis on the right and on the left. On the right France is stubbornly maintaining the status quo in human relations based on the defunked doctrine of colonialism while Russia is determined to prove that a non-capitalist nation can give a creditable account of itself in the fields of technology education, and material progress in general. Our own nation is trusting more in the god of material wealth and the power of military weapons than she does in the God revealed in Jesus Christ, and the power of the Holy Spirit. The sinful practice of building life upon foundations other than that which is laid, which is Christ Jesus, is the root of all the international strife and group hatred which is the terrible blight upon our time.

What can we as Christians do to remove this blight from our world? We must seek to bring every facet of our economic social and political life under the judgment of God. We must seek through prayerful dedication to break the hypotic spell that has caused us of the West to feel that for some unfounded reason we are God's pets, deserving special devine favor. God has blessed the western world and particularly our nation for the purpose of serving the Kingdom of God. We will be less than children of God to do otherwise.

Therefore the Board of Social and Economic Relations, in order to lead the North Carolina Conference into a movement of improving human relations asks that a program of action be instituted in the areas of race relations, citizenship and civic affairs, family life, economic life, public morals, labor and industrial relations, health and social welfare, civil rights and religious liberty.

In order to accomplish these ends the Board is asking that machinery be set us as follows:

1. That the District Superintendents urge all pastors to organize a commission on Social Concerns in their charges.
2. That a workshop on the program of the Board of Social and Economic Relations be held on every district in the coming year.
3. That the Board of World Peace and the Board of Social and Economic Relations cooperate in a joint program of christian social relations.

Respectfully submitted

J. T. Jones
Douglas E. Moore
(Mrs.) Daisy Moore
R. B. McCrae
O. W. Burwick
W. T. Brown
(Miss) Winifred M. Wrisley

RESERVE PENSION FUND AMOUNT PAID IN 1957-58

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

W. T. Brown	$100.00	Mrs. Emma Page	50.00
Eugene Black	30.00	John G. Corry	100.00
J. W. Shuford	50.00	C. L. Gidney	10.00
C. M. Winchester	150.00	W. N. Johnson	10.00
J. E. Browner	150.00	W. E. Hairston	50.00
R. W. Winchester	15.00	W. T. Lomax	12.00
G. M. Phelps	100.00	E. J. Jones	10.00
W. L. Napper	10.00	W. R. Royster	10.00
G. Haven Caldwell	20.00		

THE ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY
BALTIMORE AREA

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen. Bishop Love, Members of the Conference, and Friends:

Because I believe it is essential that we cut down on the volume of material in our conference journals, I shall make my report as brief and concise as possible. I am sure that from my five previous reports, the duties and functions of my office are pretty well known. My yearly routine is very much the same. I am accountable directly to my bishop, and am subject to his orders as I assist him in carrying the almost impossible work log which is placed upon him by the demands of the church and the public.

We are honored to have in our bishop one of the great religious leaders of the present day. As we know, he is president of the College of Bishops of the Central Jurisdiction. He is vice president of the Southern Conference Educational Fund, an organization which is composed of stout-hearted men and women of the South of the white and colored races, who are fighting for equal rights for all people. To list his other connections with Methodism and the American Church at-large would consume too much time, and would be unnecessary.

Personally, I have been privileged to serve in all the conferences of the area the past year. The stature of the ministers and laymen in the North Carolina, East Tennessee, Washington, and Delaware Conferences all, is growing. We are truly training men and women and youth ably to

carry on the program of our great church and the work of the Kingdom. It is good to think of the church in far-away places, and of our own general church and its program; but the strength of the church lies in the local scene. Unless we can strengthen the local church, city, town, and urban—large, medium, and small, we are fighting "as one that beateth the air."

The acreas of the Central Jurisdiction, like man, are fearfully and wonderfully made. Because of the remoteness of the pastor in Chattanooga, Tennessee, from the pastor in White Plains, New York—our southernmost and northernmost outposts, respectively—it is necessary that we have media of communication that will make us realize that we are of the same organizational structure. We seek to do this mainly through our area paper—THE MESSENGER—which has never been appreciably recognized by the people for whom it is essentially published—the ministers and laymen of the Baltimore Area. Please, Pastors and Laymen, subscribe for it, and read it.

We recommend for your consideration adoption of the plan that is being put into effect in the East Tennessee Conference. Each church is being asked to write into its budget an amount for THE MESSENGER. There would be sent to this charge monthly the quantity of papers covered by its contribution, five, or ten dollars, or more. The papers would then be distributed by the pastor or some designated person, among the officials of the church.

This is not obligatory. It is a simplified way of getting the paper into the hands of church officials. The church insures this by paying for the papers itself from its treasury. On the other hand, this does not mean that individual persons cannot subscribe personally for the paper at $1.00 a year. We are passing this recommendation on to the district superintendents for consideration and subsequent promotion.

Another medium of trying to unify the area is trough area-wide meetings. The Area Council is held twice during the quadrennium: in the fall of the year of the General and Jurisdictional Conferences, and in the fall of the year immediately preceding these conferences. In the interim, other area meetings are held for specified leaders. These are promoted and financed wholly or in part by the Area Office.

During the past year, the second retreat for district superintendents, conference lay leaders, presidents of Women's Societies, secretaries, and treasurers, and chairmen of Committees on Christian Higher Education was held at the Morgan College Christian Center, in Baltimore, the week-end of September 7-9th, 1957. The meeting was unsurpassed in spiritual enrichment and in mental stimulation. Our office helped to support the recent one-day conference on Christian Higher Education for the area, also at the Morgan Christian Center.

This year we plan a retreat for ministers' wives of the Delaware and Washington Conferences, in Baltimore, the week-end of August 22-24th. Next year we hope to have a similar meeting for the wives of ministers of the North Carolina and East Tennessee Conferences, at Bennett College, or Morristown College. We invite all the gracious ladies of our parsonages to share in this potentially rare fellowship, and now assure them of a program of great challenge and inspiration.

The Area Office stands ready to help pastors and laymen with their problems. Our time and resources are limited, and we do not presume to supersede the authority of district superintendents and others in places of leadership. However, we are available on your call, to the extent of our ability to serve you. "Silver and gold have we none, but such as we have, give we unto you."

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel Lyman Ridout
Administrative Secretary

Bennett College
Greensboro, North Carolina
June 13, 1958

THE METHODIST TELEVISION, RADIO AND FILM COMMISSION

Bishop Edgar A. Love, ministers, and delegates of the One Hundredth Anniversary of North Carolina Conference, Central Jurisdiction of The Methodist Church. The Commission on The Methodist Television, Radio and Film Commission wishes to submit the following report:

The Television, Radio and Film Commission, having had a very telling success with the series known as THE PASTOR and THE WAY, set up a new approach to the television as a means of communicating the gospel to all the local communities. And in this program is designed to help all America, all denominations as well as in the Methodist Church. Therefore, the commission set up fine planning regional conferences, namely, Nashville, Tenn., S. E. J.; Philadelphia, N. E. J.; Chicago, N. C. J.; Dallas, S. C. J.; and W. J. San Francisco. Our conference was invited to send five including the TRAFCO Chairman of the Conference, and four attended the one in Nashville. (The C. J. Conferences were to attend their nearest one). The purpose of these conferences was to interpret to Annual Conference Personnel and the philosophy and content of the new series "TALK BACK"; to give necessary training to enable the annual conferences leaders to organize and train the local TV COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP for the introduction and use of the program.

In each conference set up three committee groups, known as Promotion, Production, and Use. These are to determine goals, materials, resources, agencies, avenues and skills in building listerners and participators in communities, ministerial associations, churches and local groups.

It is hoped that television series, "TALK BACK" will add a new dimension to religious programming. These programs are so planned that the viewer will be encouraged to discuss the message presented.

Each of the programs will begin with a 12-15 minute filmed drama showing a human problem or need. During the remainder of the half-hour TV broadcast, religious leaders in the community will discuss questions raised in the film. This will be a live presentation from the TV studio to relate the Christian faith to the problems of daily life. They will also suggest methods of further participation by the viewers.

Viewers will have a basis for talking over the problems with their families or friends, in the church or community groups.

These thirteen series on "TALK BACK" will try to help families and church groups in the following problems, insecurity, civic responsibility, suffering, rearing children, prayer, knowing God's will, belonging and acceptance, guilt, life's good and bad breaks, faith, Christian principles, anxieties and fear. When we are commanded to "love persons and use things," and also, "the summit of God, if won, it makes even slaves mighty in strength, and ah, for a man to rise in me that the man I am will cease to be, for every slave bears in his own hand power to cancel captivity." (Frost)

RECOMMENDATIONS: Since this program is so great, and our Conference only able to give 2, 4%, we do recommend that each church pay 10c per member to support the TV Ministry which includes the new TALK BACK series and a new Children's Series now being developed.

We further recommend that there be appointed in each local church a local TRAFCO Chairman, who in turn will appoint or recommend to be appointed, a USE, PROMOTION, and PRODUCTION persons to work with him, and also a TRAFO Chairman to be appointed on each district.

Yours in His Name,

G. E. Hogue
Conference TRAFCO Chairman

BOARD OF TEMPERANCE

We view with increased alarm the ever increasing consumption of liquor in America with all its attendant evils and the vast advertising program to popularize drinking among all classes of people.

We realize that amid the confused moral judgments of our age drinking is no longer considered a social, moral or religious problem by many people.

Of the 65,000,000 adults in our country who use alcoholic beverages approximately 4,500,000 are in trouble with alcohol. The trouble may range from a mildly disrupted home or job to the end product insanity or death.

Alcoholism is a progressive disease, and unless the sick person is treated, he will sink deeper and deeper into an abyss which has only two outlets: insanity or death.

The liquor traffic continues to be public Enemy no. 1. The Methodist church shall never compromise with this evil. It is dedicated to the proposition that this evil must be eradicated and that this can only be done through a process of slow, careful education, a process designed to reveal the terrible cause of intemperance and the social and individual advantages of temperance.

Education for temperance must begin in the local church. A heavy responsibility rests upon every pastor, every Sunday school teacher, and every church official in this continuing fight.

The General Board of Temperance is located in Washington, D. C. It carries forward an extensive educational work, producing a great deal of educational and resources material adopted to leadership and age groups, as well as publishings "Contact" which is received by our District Directors, District Superintendents and others. Those responsible for our Conference program in the local churches should avail themselves fully of this material.

The church's program in this regard should be well planned and realistic, and your board makes the following recommendations with reference to the continuance of the fight for temperance in this conference.

1. That we promote a vigorous program of temperance education and cultivation in our local churches and specifically in the church school and Youth Fellowship.
2. That each District conduct workshops on alcohol under the direction of the District Directors and chairman of the conference Board.
3. That we observe Committment Sunday in each local church as directed by the General Conference.
4. That the cabinet appoint capable concerned Directors to carry out the program of temperance in the Districts.
5. That the Board of education of the local church cooperate to its fullest extent with the Committee of Temperance in this program of education concerning the evils of the liquor traffic.
6. Your Board recommends to the conference that each local church within the conference name an active committee on temperance education to encourage temperance education in the local congregation.
7. That each church within the conference be requested to dedicate at least one service every year to the cause of temperance.

Respectfully submitted this the 11th day of June, 1958.

William S. McLeod, Chairman

THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE BOARD OF EDUCATION

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

For the development and promotion of a Conference program of Christian Education has been given a place. It is called upon to give guidance and help to all the agencies within the bounds of the Conference.

Education permeates the whole church. It functions in every avenue and phase of church work. It has grown hand in hand with the church—the two inseparable.

The scope of the Board is broad and wide. It extends from center to circumference. Nothing in the church should escape its influence and ray of light. It trains for leadership, Bible schools, camps, assemblies, institutes, institutions of higher learning, and Wesley Foundations.

The Year's Work:

The Board had two full meetings to plan its work, and to check on the progress being made.

It conducted one Youth Conference-Wide Assembly with telling effect. There has been some participation by its youth in other area matters. Some conferences with local officials in churches have been held—more will be held during the next year.

The Needs:

We are a part of a great concern—the Methodist Church—she is able to meet the challenge of any group or organization. Her work is great, her opportunities are great. The challenge is ours. We must take the torch from fallen hands.

The funds are pitiful, inadequate. You cannot expect workers and a staff to carry the load without sufficient funds. We have men and women fully prepared to do the job who are dedicated to the work. We have denied them the funds with which to work. We have ordered them to make brick without straw. It cannot be done. The proper supervision is lacking, interest is lagging and good lives are being wasted.

High divorce rate, juvenile deliquency, broken homes, neglected children and a mess in the Sunday Church School is the result.

The Challenge:

Wake up church, it's a new day; perils on every hand, and if we are to save the world for Christ we must be about His business. No time for laggards and sleepers. Arise!

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC RELATIONS AND METHODIST INFORMATION

In effort to provide the constituents of the Methodist Church with pertinent information that is relevant to the growth and development of Christianity and to maintain a cooperative relationship with the publishing agencies of the Methodist Church and the media of the secular press in disseminating information to the public, we the members of your committee on Public Relations and Methodist Information recommend the following:

1. That the amount of $100 of the funds allocated by the Conference Board of World Service and Finance for use by this committee be made available to the office of the publisher of the Baltimore Area Messenger with a request for the publication of a North Carolina Conference Centennial Edition of the Messenger immediately following the adjournment of this session of the North Carolina Annual Conference.

2. We recommend that the Board of Managers of the Baltimore Area Pastor's School be asked to include in its curriculum a seminar in Public Relations in the Local Church for the benefit of those in attendance during this and subsequent conference years.

3. This committee urges very strongly that every church in the North Carolina Conference provide for the display and distribution of all the literature and tracts sent to the pastor, secretaries and chairmen of commissions in order that the public may have the benefit of its use.

Respectfully submitted:

D. S. Harkness, Chairman
C. M. Winchester
R. C. Erwin
J. W. Gwyn
J. H. McCallum

DEPARTMENT OF RESEARCH AND SURVEYS
BALTIMORE AREA

METHODIST CHURCH
DEPARTMENT OF RESEARCH AND SURVEYS
Baltimore Area, Methodist Church

BISHOP EDGAR A. LOVE AND CONFERENCES OF THE AREA:

The service of Research and Surveys of the Area Office submits to you its report for the Conference Year 1957-1958. During the past year Research and Surveys has provided service in the following areas:

1. Delaware Conference: Salisbury District to study the St. Andrews Larger Parish, Exmore Circuit and Princess Ann Station. Studied and Report to be given to the District Superintendent.
2. East Tennessee Conference: Bluefield District studied. War, Caretta, and Coalwood for a Larger Parish. The Situation at Beckley was visited and reviewed. Recommend that this Charge be given the kind of pastoral leadership that will reflect to the Methodist Church, or else our cause will be a total loss.

Unforseen interruptions for service have not enabled us to get these reports in their final shape. This office has had to do its own typing and other written work, because of the staff work of the office secretaries.

The Area has been represented at the following meetings and conferences:

1. Methodist Convocation on The Urban Church in Washington, D. C. February 18-20, 1958.
2. Washington-Delaware Conference on Missions held at Morgan State College, July, 1958.
3. Jurisdictional Conference on Ministeral Recruiting for the Central Jurisdiction, September, 1957.
4. Annual Meeting American Society of Planning Officials, Washington, D. C. May, 1958.
5. Maryland State Conference on Juvenile Delinquency for 1957

The Area Office is a member of the following Commissions through this Department:

1. Comity Committee, Council of Churches for Maryland and Delaware.
2. Commission on Comity and Church Planning for the National Capital Council of Churches, Washington, D. C.

Recommendations:

1. That in each major city of the Area there be an Urban Study Committee to plan the Methodist City Work in each city. That this committee be made up of active pastors in that city with Methodist lay people serving in the fields of social work, health service, housing, community organization, group work, and probation service. The Director of this Department to work with them in an advisory capacity to help plan the work.
2. That the town and Country Commission of each Conference be more than a paper Commission. That they use the offices of the General Church's Town and Country Department and the Area Office of Research and Surveys to plan for more efficient rural and town work.

Appreciation:

May I take this time to thank Bishop Love, the Area Staff, and the Cabinets of our four (4) Conferences for their kindness, patience, and cooperation.

To the agencies of city, state and National governments for materials, staff time and services to this office.

To God for His mercy, long suffering and wisdom granted that your Director might serve Him and the Church.

Respectfully submitted,

(Rev.) Samuel M. Carter, Director
Research and Surveys—Baltimore Area
Methodist Church

THE CONFERENCE LAY LEADER

Bishop Love, District Superintendents, Ministers, Delegates to the One Hundredth Session of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church and Christian Friends:

I am grateful to our Heavenly Father for His loving kindness to enable me to submit to you my annual report.

The Board of Lay Activities recognizes its responsibilities in working to help build a Christian Society. The need for spiritual growth and development is imperative, in this space age that we have been so suddenly ushered into. Man has in his possession, knowledge which can destroy civilization. The Methodist Church is promoting a program to bring "Peace on earth and good will toward men." The laymen of our great conference have dedicated themselves to work for the realization of this program in their local churches and communities.

On August 4th, 1957, the Conference Board sponsored a "Lay Retreat" at Simpson Memorial Methodist Church, Charlotte, N. C. It was a rich and rewarding experience for those attending. Atty. Erwin, discussed the "Ten Dollar Club" and Mr. Winchester discussed the "Retired Ministers Pension Fund." Through these emphases we are encouraging and cultivating stewardship of giving.

Dr. J. H. Touchstone from the General Board, brought to us some very valuable information on the "Every Member Canvass," Christian Stewardship, The Methodist Men's Program, Lay Speaking, and other phases of the Lay Program. We are thankful to God for consecrated and dedicated Laymen like Dr. Touchstone.

I have visited several churches this conference year in the interest of our Lay Program, and have presented two Methodist Men's Charters.

Since I have been serving as your Conference Lay Leader, I have seen progress throughout this great conference. We have become better Christian stewards, which we see reflected in our ministers' reporting. May we continue to help build in our conference, beautiful churches and Christian men and women, so those who will follow us, one hundred from now, will be the beneficiaries of a generous Christian heritage.

Alvin L. Morrison
Conference Lay Leader

In Memoriam

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(MINISTERS)

J. L. ALFORD
BEVERLY BROWN
B. J. STEWART
J. H. WOOTTEN
T. C. FRAZIER
W. S. BERRY

(MINISTER'S WIVES)

MRS. B. J. STEWART
MRS. I. A. FRIEND
MRS. J. A. LAUGHLIN
MRS. A. E. ROBINSON

ROLL OF DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE CONFERENCE
Our Promoted Fellow Workers

"These all died in the work and hope of Christ, receiving the end of their faith—the salvation of their souls."

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
1816	Henry E. Pope	1870	7	May 28, 1879 — Greensboro
1820	Mingo G. Groom	1874	7	March 17, 1881 — Wilmington
	Geo. W. Price	1871	10	September 12, 1881 — Charlotte
	Florad Waters	1875	7	March 29, 1883 — Maxton
1821	Matthews Alson	1870	14	April 1, 1884 — Greensboro
	Nelson Farror	1871	4	January 9, 1887 — Raleigh
1816	James Payne	1878	9	April 1, 1888 — Greensboro
1825	A. M. Turner	1874	16	August, 1888 — Raleigh
	Josiah Caldicut	1891	16	August 12, 1890 — Marion
	Geo. W. Ratcliff	1891		1891 — Hickory
1830	W. W. Morgan	1872	27	September 16, 1882 — Kernersville
1825	Wilson Gray	1877	15	November, 1892 — Dobson
	Thos. S. Sitt	1893	1	November, 1894 — Lexington
1839	W. W. Smith	1888	19	May 20, 1896 — Lexington
1835	Wiley C. Gibson	1875	23	November, 1898 — Hamlet
1826	Wyatt Walker	1871	26	May 20, 1900 — Reidsville
1846	O. Letterlough	1899	2	April 20, 1900 — Maxton
1940	C. Harshaw	1828	16	July 3, 1900 — Lenoir
1840	Samuel L. Johnson	1890	12	November 6, 1910 — Mount Airy
1818	Andrew Conner	1870	20	February 7, 1903 — McPelah
1854	M. C. Rogers	1889	22	July 24, 1903 — Salem
1941	John E. Champlain	1869	34	October 8, 1903 — High Point
1837	Isaac Wells	1870	37	February 28, 1907 — Greensboro
1846	Evander McDaniel	1889	18	August 8, 1907 — Townsville
1897	Jacob C. Price	1907	4	May 23, 1911 — Reidsville
1869	John M. McNeil	1902	9	August 5, 1911 — Rowland
	D. L. Dixon	1910	2	November 18, 1912 — Statesville
1852	S. A. Gibson	1890	22	August 2, 1912 — High Point
1831	David Connell	1878	41	December 15, 1912 — Greensboro
1863	Alexander Clark	1887	26	June 15, 1913 — Greensboro
1869	John W. Davis	1893	21	April 14, 1914 — Laurinburg
	L. G. McDonald			August, 1916 — Lamar, S. C.
	Ellis Ellison			March 28, 1917 — Winston-Salem
	Chas. W. Blaylock	1875	24	1917 — Greensboro
	John C. Robbins		23	July 8, 1917 — Gastonia
1856	W. A. Pryor		22	August 25, 1918 — High Point
1857	F. L. Bost	1898	12	— Kernersville
1849	J. H. Hunter	1883	15	— Greensboro
1848	S. M. Hanes	1875		— Winston
1853	Samuel McDonald	1890	30	— Winston
1853	S. P. West	1882	38	January 22, 1921 — Oxford
1864	G. F. Hill	1888		February 26, 1920 — Old Fort
	Henry Fink		6	—
1835	L. B. Gibson		6	March 26, 1822 — Greensboro
1844	W. P. Hayes	1888	16	August 28, 1922 — Maxton
1861	M. M. Jones	1891	34	March 9, 1925 — Greensboro
1872	J. A. Laughlin	1905	30	November 19, 1925 — Greensboro
	J. H. Isham			September 21, 1927 — Rockingham

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
	W. M. Crawford			November, 1927 Winston
1838	Elisha Howard	1885		February, 1928 Asheboro
1862	A. W. McMaster	1894	34	November, 1928 Greensboro
1858	J. D. Murphy	1896	30	August, 1928 Maxton
1881	A. D. McDonald	1920	9	1928 Randolph
1848	Robert Smith	1886	50	January 30, 1930 Brown Summit
1872	N. M. Martin	1906	24	February, 1930 Asheville
1864	G. W. Brower	1892	39	1930 High Point
1854	J. W. Jones	1898	32	1930 Guilford
1878	C. E. Howard	1916	14	July 25, 1930 Mocksville
1872	A. G. Jenkins	1905	25	September, 1930 Charlotte
1870	E. D. Petty	1894	36	1930 Chicago, Ill.
1853	E. H. Arthur	1887	44	November, 1931 Greensboro
1861	J. P. Morris 1890	1800	41	May, 1931 Greensboro
1869	N. S. T. Shambouger	1910	21	September, 1931 Lumberton
1874	N. M. Black	1907	24	December 20, 1931 Winston
	J. A. Cherry		16	May 10, 1932 Hickory
1854	M. J. Bullock	1885	37	June 13, 1932 Greensboro
1878	J. R. Dillard	1917	15	July 10, 1932 Ramseur
1849	W. W. Pope	1883	37	July 22, 1932 Winston
1896	G. T. Foley	1925	8	January 14, 1933 High Point
1843	J. C. Addie	1894	32	May 2, 1933 Hickory
1837	Daniel Brooks	1874	34	May 12, 1933 High Point
1867	M. C. Laughlin	1811	12	July 17, 1933 Greensboro
1852	J. D. Hairston	1885	28	October 23, 1933 Goldsboro
1872	J. W. Wells	1889	32	January 18, 1934 Greensboro
1864	J. H. Garrett	1882	21	February 9, 1935 Reidsville
1852	A. H. Newsome	1883	52	September 30, 1935 Greensboro
1868	W. R. Ziegler	1893	40	November 6, 1935 Greensboro
1862	S. L. May	1880	52	August 8, 1936 Thomasville
1875	S. J. Hayden	1903	33	October 11, 1936 Seagrove
1877	Samuel H. Pdesley	1929	8	January 5, 1937 Shelby
1882	Frank S. Abernathy	1930	7	1937 Mooresville
1861	W. M. Chavis	1891	45	May 20, 1937 Kernersville
1860	S. F. B. Peace	1891	46	December 14, 1937 Greensboro
1860	W. B. Scales	1902	36	May 15, 1938 Madison
	M. M. Patrick			May 23, 1938 Greensboro
	P. J. Cook			July 28, 1938 Greensboro
1863	D. H. Kearse	1921	19	September, 1938 Winston-Salem
	P. F. Johnson	1898	39	December 27, 1938 Hickory
	H. O. Fredrick			1939
	A. B. McQueen	1898		1940
1853	G. W. Morehead	1868	55	1940 Greensboro
	R. T. Weatherby	1903	38	July 21, 1940 Greensboro
1872	E. I. Swann	1914	27	1941 Asheville
1882	Henry Jones	1829	13	1941 Elkin
	J. R. McNair			1942 Red Springs
1869	J. W. Simpson	1900	43	July 10, 1943 Greensboro
1852	Marcus Munday	1888	39	1944 Leaksville
1899	Coy N. Williams	1933	11	February, 1944 Winston-Salem
1872	R. D. Bethea	1893	43	September 25, 1944 New York
	C. D. Kirkland			Lincolnton
	W. M. Wells			February 12, 1946 Laurinburg
	Dorsey McRae			Maxton
	J. C. Rush	1920	25	Winston-Salem

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
	A. M. Robinson			1950
	B. E. Staten			1950
	W. O. Thomas			1950
	H. H. Houston			1951
	B. F. Thomas			1951
	E. M. Felder			1951
	A. E. Robinson			1952
	D. A. Hill			1953
	N. J. Pass			1953 Shelby
	P. W. Webb			1953
	D. L. Thomas			December 7, 1953 Raleigh
	J. W. Hall			1954 Oxford
	J. W. Lynch			February 3, 1954 High Point
	P. I. Wells			April 2, 1953 Greensboro
	R. J. Shipp			May 4, 1953
	S. B. Cornelius			1954
	R. B. Rhyne			1956 Red Springs
	J. L. Alford			1958 Sanford
	Beverly Brown		1943	1957 Reidsville
	T. H. Wooten		1931	1957 Charlotte
	B. J. Stewart		1937	1958 Reidsville

HISTORICAL VIEW

From the organization of Methodism in America, the work in North Carolina was continued in Virginia and afterwards in the Virginia and South Carolina Conference. In the year 1836, the General Conference set up in North Carolina. Its first session opened as a part of the Virginia Conference, but when it adjourned, there were two Conferences.

Facts from the first ninety sessions are gleaned from the General Minutes from the Conference Journal for those years, which is now in custody of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

At the Confeernce of December 4, 1844, there were 10,495 white members and 3,100 colored. Without consulting the wisdom of the latter, nearly the whole membership became a part of a new church, organized in May, 1845, and called the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Some of the colored members entered the A.M.E. Church, some of the colored M.E. Church of America, but thousands turned gladly to the bosom of the old Methodist Episcopal Church as it returned to the State after the Civil War.

Between the years 1844, when the Church was separated over the slave question, and in 1865, when at the close of the War, the M.E. Church returned to shepherd its scattering flock in North Carolina, there was no session of the North Carolina Conference.

From the North Carolina Conference, the Blue Ridge was formed with twelve preachers, 2,839 members and probationers, and 41 church edifices.

CONFERENCE SESSIONS

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
1—February 8, 1837	Petersburg, Va.		G. H. Leigh		20030	
2—January 31, 1838	Greensboro	Morris	G. H. Leigh		20030	
3—January 26, 1839	Louisburg	Andrews	G. H. Leigh		20225	
4—January 29, 1840	New Bern	Morris	S. S. Bryant		25889	
5—December 20, 1840	Mocksville	Morris	S. S. Bryant		20597	
6—October 26, 1841	Raleigh		S. S. Bryant		22851	
7—October 26, 1842	Louisburg	Waugh	S. S. Bryant		28413	

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
8—October 25, 1843	Halifax	Soule	S. S. Bryant		21247	
9—December 4, 1844	Pittsburgh	Morris	Wm. G. Matton	17	4100	
10—January 14, 1868	Union Chapel	Ames				
11—January 6, 1869	High Point	James	Wm. G. Matton	26	4500	69
12—January 20, 1871	Lincolnton	Simpson	Wm. G. Matton	36	8111	79
13—December 28, 1872	Greensboro	Simpson	Wm. G. Matton	36	811	79
14—January 8, 1873	Charlotte	Ames	Wm. G. Matton	37	8263	79
15—January 7, 1874	Lexington	Haven	Wm. G. Matton	25	9531	100
16—January 5, 1875	Greensboro	Wiley	Wm. G. Matton	44	8582	97
17—January 5, 1876	Winston	Foster	Wm. G. Matton	44	9717	104
18—January 10, 1877	Wilmington	Harris	Wm. G. Matton	44	10171	106
19—January 24, 1878	Lumberton	Scott	E. O. Thayer	42	8520	112
20—January 30, 1879	Greensboro	Peck	E. O. Thayer	46	8525	127
21—February 4, 1880	High Point	Simpson	E. O. Thayer	30	9854	97
22—January 27, 1881	Raleigh	Warren	E. O. Thayer	34	1012	97
23—January 26, 1882	Laurinburg	Foster	W. F. Steele	37	7228	92
24—January 31, 1883	Winston	Merrill	W. F. Steele	37	7498	87
25—February 6, 1884	Greensboro	Bowman	W. F. Steele	37	7761	94
26—February 5, 1885	Lumberton	Andrews	W. F. Steele	41	8167	96
27—February 11, 1886	Charlotte	Ninee	W. F. Steele	43	8371	96
28—October 14, 1886	Raleigh	Walden	W. F. Steele	44	8424	95
29—October 27, 1887	High Point	Mallalieu	W. F. Steele	49	9664	100
30—October 25, 1888	Lenoir	Fitzgerald	C. N. Grandison	52	8948	115
31—October 25, 1889	Goldsboro	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	54	8034	
32—October 23, 1890	Maxton	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	60		
33—October 15, 1891	Winston	Warren	C. N. Grandison	63	8200	116
34—October 20, 1892	Reidsville	Foss	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
35—October 19, 1893	Lexington	Hurst	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
36—October 4, 1894	Oxford	Mallalieu	J. J. Morris	70	9612	124
37—October 16, 1895	Greensboro	Mallalieu	R. W. S. Thomas	78	8884	133
38—September 17, 1896	Charlotte	Andrews	R. W. S. Thomas			

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
39—October 7, 1897	Laurinburg	Foster	R. W. S. Thomas	74	12751	133
40—October 13, 1898	Lenoir	Mallalieu	R. W. S. Thomas	77	1940	133
41—October 12, 1899	Winston	Fowler	R. E. Jones	73	9525	133
42—October 11, 1900	Reidsville	Foss	R. E. Jones	76	10579	133
43—October 17, 1901	High Point	Goodsell	R. E. Jones	78	10597	133
44—October 16, 1902	Mount Airy	Walden	R. E. Jones	80	19579	133
45—October 14, 1903	Greensboro	Joyce	S. A. Peeler	88	11100	152
46—October 13, 1904	Hickory	Fitzgerald	S. A. Peeler	76	9773	166
47—October 12, 1905	Maxton	Cranston	S. A. Peeler	76	11894	
48—October 11, 1906	Asheville	Burt	S. A. Peeler	79	10222	172
49—October 17, 1907	Winston	Spellmeyer	S. A. Peeler	81	10547	172
50—October 15, 1908	Charlotte	Bristol	S. A. Peeler	76	11063	172
51—October 14, 1909	High Point	Moore	S. A. Peeler	78	10984	179
52—October 6, 1910	Leaksville	Neely	S. A. Peeler	84	11400	162
53—October 12, 1911	Greensboro	Anderson	S. A. Peeler	79	12278	169
54—October 20, 1912	Lenoir	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	85	12700	171
55—November 20-23, 1913	Maxton	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	86	13225	173
56—November 26-30, 1914	Thomasville	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	84	14555	151
57—December 1-4, 1915	Winston	Wilson, L. B.	G. Haven Caldwell	91	13921	172
58—November 14-19, 1916	West Raleigh	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13762	195
59—November 14-18, 1917	Hickory	Hughes, E. H.	R. N. Brooks	88	14170	143
60—November 3-17, 1918	Charlotte	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143
61—November 12-16, 1919	High Point	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143
62—November 11-14, 1920	Winston	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13206	195
63—November 8-12, 1922	Reidsville	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	12557	195
65—November 7-12, 1923	Laurinburg	Wilson, L. B.	G. Haven Caldwell	96	12000	195
66—Oct. 20-Nov. 2, 1924	Lexington	Bristol, Frank M.	J. A. Baxter	97	14537	218
67—Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 1925	Marion	Thirkield, W. P.	J. A. Baxter	97	13261	254
68—October 27-31, 1926	West Raleigh	Clair, M. W.	S. A. Peeler	97	**13138**	**149**
69—October 26-30, 1927	Madison	Thirkield, W. P.	S. A. Peeler	95	11796	161
70—Oct. 31-Nov. 4, 1928	Greensboro	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	98	13762	179

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
71—October 23-27, 1929	Hickory	Smith, H. Lester	G. Haven Caldwell	88	13807	161
72—November 5-9, 1930	Winston-Salem	Mead, Chas. L.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	13757	161
73—November 25-29, 1931	High Point	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	92	13614	167
74—October 27-30, 1932	Reidsville	Smith, H. Lester	W. E. Hairston	91	13614	156
75—Sept. 28-Oct. 1, 1933	Maxton	Brown, W. E.	W. E. Hairston	90	13310	158
76—October 24-28, 1934	Lenoir	Brown, W. E.	W. E. Hairston	89	13220	163
77—October 22-27, 1935	Greensboro	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	83	13474	164
78—October 22-25, 1936	Hamlet	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	80	13470	164
79—October 27-31, 1937	Thomasville	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	78	13473	164
80—October 26-30, 1938	Hickory	Jones, R. E.	J. E. Brower	77	12400	164
81—October 25-29, 1939	West Raleigh	Clair, M. W.	J. E. Brower	77	13662	164
82—November 6-10, 1940	Laurinburg	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	73	13076	104
83—October 21-26, 1941	Winston-Salem	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	75	11876	164
84—Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 1942	Greensboro	Jones, R. E.	J. E. Brower	75	12706	164
85—October 27-31, 1943	Charlotte	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	72	12990	164
86—October 25-29, 1944	Lenoir	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	85	13088	178
87—Oct. 30-Nov. 4, 1945	Lumberton	Brooks, R. N.	J. E. Brower	82	12573	159
88—Oct. 29-Nov. 3, 1946	High Point	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wootten	85	13783	159
89—Oct. 28-Nov. 2, 1947	Reidsville	Shaw, A. P.	M. McCallum	89	12424	159
90—November 3-7, 1948	Hickory	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wootten	89	13232	159
91—November 3-6, 1949	Winston-Salem	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wootten			
92—November 2-5, 1950	Hamlet	Shaw, A. P.	C. L. Gidney			
93—Oct. 31-Nov. 4, 1951	High Point	Shaw, A. P.	C. L. Gidney	70		
94—June 4-8, 1952	Greensboro	Shaw, A. P.	W. R. Crawford	75		
95—June 3-7, 1953	Lenoir	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	75		
96—June 2-6, 1954	Asheville	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	70		
97—June 15-19, 1955	Lauringburg	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	67	14834	
98—May 29-June 3, 1956	Raleigh	Bowen, J. W. E.	W. R. Crawford	70	14877	87
99—June 4-June 9, 1957	Winston-Salem	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford		79	87
100—June 10-15, 1958	Love, E. A.	Greensboro	W. R. Crawford	76	13912	86

EXPOSITIVE COMMENT ON THE HISTORICAL VIEW

Apart from this historical view, no effort is made to give the exact number of years of existence of the North Carolina Conference. This statement appearing in our Conference Journal from the period when the first available journals were published until now, furnishes basis. No successful effort has been made to doubt or disregard this record.

The early journals stated clearly a division (namely Organization) in 1837-44, and reorganization in 1868-1958.

We do not claim a continuous operation of an organized North Carolina Conference as such. As indicated in the record, this Conference was a part of a Virginia, South Carolina, North Carolina organization, beginning in 1836. From this organization of a Conference in three states, the North Carolina Conference, as we know it now, evolved. What happened between the years 1844—when the ninth Conference is held—and 1868— when the tenth Conference convened, is a matter of uncertain history. Leaving out the happenings of those years of uncertainty, we feel that the years that remain are of sufficent historic interest to validate an established organization, giving us more than one hundred years of operation and fully one hundred sessions of the North Carolina Conference.

The years between 1844 and 1868 are years when the question of slavery was paramount—years when the Civil strife between the states was rife—years when Methodism, influenced by the times, was battling for solid footing—years when the Methodist Church separated into two camps: The Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church South. During that period the Negro membership in the Church scattered. Many of them joined other denominations. But when the smoke of battle which had befogged an orderly existence of operation was cleared after 1865, the Methodist Episcopal Church took up its responsibility for its Negro members and reorganized them into the North Carolina Conference. Continuing the first nine years of existence and working on down until this date June 10-15, 1958, when the one hundredth session is being held.

—Taken From The Brochure
100th session of The North Carolina
Conference.—June 10-15, 1958.

THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

CONFERENCE RULES OF ORDER

1. The Conference shall meet at 9:00 a.m. and open with devotional exercises, and close at 12:30 p.m.

2. The Memorial Services shall be held the first morning of the Conference immediately following the Communion Service and shall include the calling of the roll of the honored dead.

3. The nominating committee consisting of five persons shall be appointed by the Bishop quadrennially.

4. No person shall be a member, concurrently, of more than two standing committees or commissions (except as provided for by the Discipline).

5. The Conference fiscal year shall end 20 days before the first day of the Annual Conference.

6. The pastors' reports shall be in the hands of the treasurer and statistician 15 days before the opening day of the Annual Conference.

7. The reports of all major commissions and committees shall be mimeographed and passed out at the seat of the Conference on or before the day the report is read.

8. The roll of Conference lay members shall be called at the opening day of the Conference.

9. The Treasurer's report shall be mimeographed and passed out at the meeting of the Conference.

10. The minutes of the Annual Conference shall be printed and distributed within 90 days after adjournment of the Conference.

11. All recommendations and memorials shall be presented to the Conference in duplicate form.

12. All motions from the floor shall be in writing when requested by the secretary of the Conference.

13. The program for the Annual Conference shall be arranged by a committee composed of the host pastor, the host district superintendent, the Conference lay leader, and two persons at large named by the nominating committee, in consultantation with the Bishop.

14. When a member wishes to speak he must arise and address the chair and shall not proceed until he is properly recognized by the presiding officer.

15. No member shall speak on any question more than once until all who wish to do so have spoken, nor shall a member speak more than ten minutes except by permission of the Conference.

16. Motions made and seconded, reports made and accepted are to be deemed the property of the Conference and cannot be withdrawn without the consent of the Conference.

17. All motions to lay on the table, to take from the table, shall be taken without debate, but the one who offers a formal motion or resolution shall have five minutes to close debate and this right shall not be forfeited by a motion ordering the previous question or to lay on the table.

18. All questions of privilege shall be decided by the president.

19. No member of the Conference shall be recognized who is outside the boundary of the Conference.

20. The following motions may take precedence of the original motion or precedence of each other in the order given here: (a) to adjourn to a given time; (b) to adjourn indefinitely; (c) to take up the order of the day; (d) to lay on the table; (e) to move up the order of the day; (f) to postpone to a given time; (g) to refer to a committee; (h) to amend; (i) to postpone indefinitely.

21. Any person voting with the majority may move a reconsideration, but such motion shall not be debatable.

22. The yeas and nays may be taken on any motion on the call of one-third of the members present.

23. These rules may be suspended by a two-third vote of the Conference.

24. These rules may be amended at any regular session of the Conference by a two-third vote, provided such amendments be presented in writing at least one day before action is taken.

Respectfully submitted:

COMMITTEE ON RULES,
NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

(Made at the Conference 1956)
Raleigh, N. C.

CONSTITUTION

BOARD OF MANAGERS—BALTIMORE AREA PASTOR'S SCHOOL THE METHODIST CHURCH

Herewith is transmitted the Constitution of the Board of Managers Baltimore Area Pastor's School—The Methodist Church, an adopted by the Board of Managers in session at Baltimore, Maryland, September 11, 1957.

C. Anderson Davis, Chairman
Constitution Committee

Bishop Edgar A. Love
Resident Bishop
Henry H. Nichols, Pres.
Board of Managers

ARTICLE I. NAME AND PURPOSE

Section 1. **Name**—The name of this Board shall be the Board of Managers of the Baltimore Area Pastor's School—The Methodist Church.

Section 2. **Purpose**—The purpose shall be to provide counsel, make plans, elect a dean and other officers, staff members and teachers (nominated by the Dean), set up a budget, approve recommendations and reports, set the time and place of the Pastor's School and to transact any other business pertaining to the school.

ARTICLE II. BOARD MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the Board shall consist of: The Resident Bishop, and three members from each of the Annual Conferences of the Area. Two of the three conference representatives shall be nominated by the Conference Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications and elected by the Conference, the third representative shall be the Executive Secretary of Christian Education. They shall be elected at the first session of the quadrennium and shall serve until the end of said quadrennium. They shall take office at the first meeting of the Board, called by the Resident Bishop, after each of the Annual Conferences shall have met.

ARTICLE III. OFFICERS AND DUTIES

Section 1. **Officers**—The Officers shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary. an Assistant Secretary and a Treasurer. Each conference shall be represented in, at least, one office. They shall be elected quadrennially from the membership of the Board at the First Annual meeting of the new quadrennium, by a majority of the members of the Board, after being nominated by the Nominating Committee or from the floor.

Section 2. **President**—The President shall preside at meetings of the Board, counter sign all checks drawn on the treasury, represent the Board when necessary and perform other duties normally performed by a president.

Section 3. **Vice President**—The Vice President shall preside and act in the absence of the President and assist the President when needed.

Section 4. **Secretary**—The Secretary shall record the minutes, send out notices of all meetings and keep the president and members informed of any matters germane to the Board or Pastor's School.

Section 5. **Assistant Secretary**—The Assistant Secretary shall perform the duties of the Secretary in his absence and shall assist the Secretary when necessary.

Section 6. **Treasurer**—The Treasurer shall have charge of all monies of the Board, deposit the same in an account known as "The Baltimore Pastor's School," and shall write and sign all checks. He shall disburse funds only upon written order signed by the Secretary with the exception of bills pertaining to the expense of the School Session, in such cases, the Dean shall sign the order and report the same to the Secretary.

ARTICLE IV. MEETINGS

Section 1. **Time**—The Board shall meet annually on the first Tuesday in October. The place and hour to be determined by the President in consultation with the Resident Bishop. This date may be altered by the Executive Committee provided it shall be held in the Fall of the year. Special meetings may be called by the President or by a majority of the Executive Committee.

Section 2. **Quorum**—Seven members shall constitute a quorum for transacting business not otherwise specified, provided, at least, one member from three conferences of the Baltimore Area is present.

ARTICLE V. COMMITTEES

Section 1. **Committees**—There shall be the following committees representative of each of the Annual Conferences and consisting of not less than four persons: Executive Committee, Nominating Committee and Recommendations Committee.

Meetings of committees shall be regulated by the Board of Managers, and time and place of meetings shall be subject to the call of the Chairman.

Section 2. **Executive**—The Executive Committee shall be composed of the elected officers and the Resident Bishop. The President and Secretary of the Board shall be the chairman and Secretary of this Committee. It shall act for the Board between meetings in matters that are necessary to be acted upon before the next Board meeting and report its action to the next Board Meeting. It shall consitute the Finance Committee and recommend a budget to the Board after consultation with the Dean. It shall have the financial records audited by a certified Public Accountant.

Section 3. **Nominating**—The Nominating Committee shall nominate the officers of the Board of Managers, the Business Manager, the Dean and other Administrative Officers provided that others may be nominated from the floor. It shall be composed of one person from each Conference elected by the Board and shall elect its own chairman.

Section 4. **Recommendations**—The Recommendations Committee shall examine all reports; receive recommendations from members of the Board, Officers of the School, the Department of Ministerial Education and other sources; counsel with the Dean and others; and shall make any recommendations, as a result of the above procedure or otherwise, to the Board of Directors. The Vice President shall be chairman of this committee.

ARTICLE VI. PASTOR'S SCHOOL

Section 1. **Sessions**—The time and place of the school sessions shall be set by the Board of Managers.

Section 2. **Courses**—Courses for the school shall be selected by the Dean according to the procedure and rules of the Department of Ministerial Education.

Section 3. **Dean**—The Dean shall be elected at the first meeting of the New Quadrennium and shall serve until the end of said Quadrennium, or until his successor is elected. He shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee and elected by the incoming Board of Managers by a majority

of its members. He shall be responsible for the administration of the school in keeping with the rules and recommendations of the Board of Managers and the Department of Ministerial Education. He shall submit a written report, by mail, of the school to the Recommendations Committee following the school session; and a written report in person at the next Board Meeting; at the same time he shall submit nominations for the faculty of the coming school session.

Section 4. **The Faculty** shall be nominated by the Dean after consultation with the Resident Bishop and the Direcor of the Department of Ministerial Education.

Section 5. **Business Manager**—The Business Manager shall be elected quadrennially at the First Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers by a majority of its members. He shall be responsible for the business proceedings of the school in cooperation with the Dean.

ARTICLE VII. PARLIMENTARY AUTHORITY

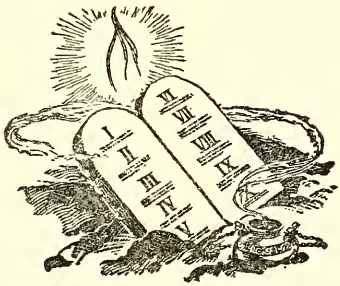
The rules contained in Robert's Rules of Order shall govern the Board meetings in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the Constitution of the Board.

ARTICLE VIII. METHOD OF AMENDING

This Constitution may be amended in the following manner:

A proposed amendment shall be submitted in writing to the Secretary, at least, sixty days before the Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers. The Secretary shall send the same through mail, to all of the members of the Board. The proposed amendment shall be submitted by the Secretary to the Board in session and shall require a three-fourths vote of the membership present and voting, for adoption.

Any part of this Constitution in conflict with the Discipline of the Methodist Church or the rules of the Department of Ministerial Education shall be amended after the Board of Managers reviews the same.



RECORD OF SERVICE IN THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

ALFORD, J. L.
1956 Leaksville
1957 Newton and Granite Falls
1958 East Thomasville

ARMSTRONG, CLINTON C.
1951-58 Greensboro; Browning Chapel Instructor: Bennett College
1956 Statesville Ct.

ASHFORD, JAMES DAVID
1950 Upper Mississippi Conf.
1950 Ripley Ct.
1951 West Point
1952 Ackerman
1953 In School
1956 Trans. to N. C. Conf. 6-2-56
1956 Leaksville
1957 Newton-Granite Falls
1958 E. Thomasville

BAILEY, CHARLES W., SR.
1946-54 Wilkesboro; Boone
1956 Statesville Ct.

BETHEA, JOSEPH BENJAMIN
1952 In School
1953 Walhalla
1954 Ninety-Six
1956 Rec'd in N. C. Conf.
1956 Elkin-Jonesville

BLACK, EUGENE
1943 Brown Summit
1949 Basses; Raleigh

BLANTON, JOHN JULIUS
1911 Newton
1913 Machpelah
1914 Machpelah; Stanley
1915 Walnut Cove
1919 Wilkesboro
1920 Elkin; Jonesville
1925 Lowesville
1926 Lowesville; Ebenezer
1928 Retired
Died 3-20-49

BRIDGES, RAMSAY MAY
1942 Washington; Asbury (Asst.)
1943 Cumberland; Frostburg
1946 Hickory
1949 Simpson (Charlotte)
1950 Transferred; N. Y. Conf.

BROOKS, GLENN ALBERT
1945 Marion
1947 Statesville
1949 Asheboro
1953 Lexington; Midway

BROWER, JOHN E.
1922 South High Point
1925 Reidsville
1929 Laurinburg Cool Springs
1930 Supt. Winston District
1936 Asheville
1940 Greensboro; St. Matthews
1945 Supt. Greensboro District
1951 Greensboro; St. Matthews

BROWN, BEVERLY
1943 Bomore; Mt. Zion
1944 Statesville; Scott's Chlx.
1946 Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1950 Forest City
1951 Reidsville
Died 9-1-57

BROWN, LEANDER A.
1929 In School
1931 Pen Hook
1933 High Point; Brooks Memorial
1934 Lexington
1938 Lenoir
1940 Asheville; Berry Temple
1957 Supt. Winston District

BROWN, WILLIAM T.
1943 Kingston
1944 Marumsco; Kingston
1946 Maxton; Piney Grove
1948 Raleigh
1951 Fayetteville
1954 Greensboro; Union Mem.
1957 Supt. Greensboro District

BURGE, BENJAMIN
1912 Lincolnton Ct.
1914 King's Mt.; Lincolnton
1915 Lenoir Ct.
1916 Denver; Ebenezer
1918 Ebenezer; Cornelius
1919 W. Asheville; Waynesville
1921 Bessemer City
1926 Lawndale; Brooks
1929 Newton; Conover
1932 Lenoir
1936 Marion
1940 Statesville; Philadelphia
1942 Statesville Ct.
1944 Newton Ct.
1957 Retired
1957 Mt. Holly

BURWICK, OSCAR W.
1939 Lenoir City
1940 Forest City
1941 Forest City; Shelby
1942 Boulware Chapel
1943 Johns; Beaver Dam
1944 Gastonia; Epworth Cherryville
1948 Maxton
1949 Hickory
1952 Maxton
1953 Asheboro
1958 Raleigh

BYERS, GEORGE W.
1887 Cleveland
1888 Goldborough
1890 Piney Grove; John Station
1892 Rowland; Salem
1896 Maxton
1897 Hamlet; Southern Pines
1899 Hamlet
1900 Lumberton
1901 Melrose; Hickory Bend
1906 Shelby; Falston
1907 Red Springs; Beaumont
1908 Red Springs; Hickory Bend
1910 Summerfield
1912 Greensboro; Northwest
1916 Greensboro; South
1924 Bolar
1925 Withers Chapel; Paine
1926 Wilkesboro
1928 Retired
Died 6-8-45

BYNUM, CHARLES G.
1926 Empire
1928 Newton; Conover
1930 Zion Hill; Hazes
1932 Old Fort; Gladees
1933 Greensboro; Southeast
1934 Greensboro; Extension
1938 Walkertown Chester Gv.
1939 Mt. Holly Ct.
1940 Johns; Beaver Dam
1941 Advance; Oak Grove
1945 Rural Hall; Pilot Mt.
1947 Randleman; St. Peters; Mt. Zion
1950 Lincolnton
1953 Mt. Airy
1956 Penhook Ct.
1957 Cox Chapel; Shady Grove

CALDWELL, FRED D.
1920 Boonesville; Rocky Mt.
1921 Bones Mill
1922 Advance
1923 Kernersville
1924 Kernersville
1926 In School
1927 Walkertown
1928 Ramseur
1929 Rowland; Salem
1930 Asheboro; Mitchell
1935 High Point; Brooks Mem.
1936 Maxton; Piney Grove
1938 Thomasville; St. John; Midway
1948 Supt. Laurinburg District
1954 Mt. Carmel; Warren St.; Greensboro

CALDWELL, GILBERT HAVEN
1908 North Greensboro
1909 In School
1910 Liberty; Glenola
1911 West Asheville
1913 Statesville; Philadelphia
1914 West Raleigh
1917 In School
1918 Y.M.C.A. Army Work
1919 Bennett College (Prof.)
1921 Bennett College (Dean)
1923 Samuel Houston College (Prof.)
1925 Asheville
1930 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1931 Supt. Western District
1937 Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1941 Conf. Youth Counselor
1944 Dallas, Texas; St. Paul
1948 Conf. Secretary Evang.
1949 Wesley Tab.; Galveston
1951 Faculty; Sam Houston College
1952 Prof.; Claflin College
1954 Ramseur; Laughlins
1957 Reidsville

COLE, WHYTT P.
1956 Mt. Airy-Pilot Mt.
1957 Trinity Ct.

CAMERON, WALTER J.
1932 Ramseur
1934 Greensboro; High St.
1936 Lumberton; Pembroke
1941 Raleigh
1947 Conf. Executive Secretary
1949 Supt. Western District
1955 Thomasville; St. John

CAMPT, LOWELL MASON
1945 Penhook; Boon's Mill
Died 8-8-49

CORRY, JOHN G.
1955 Upper Mississippi Conf.
1956 Trans. To N. C. Conf.
Received in N. C. Conf. 6-2-56
1956 In School Gammon Seminary
1957 Leaksville

CORNELIUS, SANDY B.
1896 ..... Franklin
1897 ..... Boone
1899 ..... Waynesville; Beaver Dam
1900 ..... Waynesville
1901 ..... Franklin
1902 ..... Hendersonville
1903 ..... Supernumerary
1904 ..... Located-Own request
1906 ..... Readmitted; Old Fort
1907 ..... Black Mountain
1916 ..... Supernumerary
1924 ..... Retired
1925 ..... Supernumerary
1929 ..... Retired

CRAWFORD, WILLIAM R.
1943 ..... In School
1947 ..... Winston-Salem
Mt. Pleasant

DAVIS, H. A.
1923 ..... Randleman
1924 ..... Trinity
1925 ..... John Station
1927 ..... Johns-Beaver Dam
1928 ..... Kernersville
1929 ..... Ramseur
1931 ..... Brown Summit
1935 ..... Brown Summit-Caswell
1936 ..... Trinity; Glenola
1938 ..... Pen Hook
1941 ..... West Asheville
1943 ..... Wilkesboro Ct.
1944 ..... Kings Mountain
1945 ..... Mt. Holly
1947 ..... Empire
1952 ..... Mt. Zion; Greensboro

DULA, JOHN Q.
1936 ..... Pen Hook
1938 ..... Randleman
1940 ..... Empire Circuit
1944 ..... Forest City
1948 ..... Elkin; Jonesville
1956 ..... Shelby Ct.
1957 ..... Mooresville Ct.

FERREE, JAMES W.
1949 .. Statesville; Philadelphia
1955 ..... Maxton; Beauty Spot
1956 .... Maxton; Beauty Spot
1957 ... Lumberton; Beauty Spot

FINK, HENRY H.
1812 ..... Monroe; Bethel
1913 ..... Catawba; Ht. Morn
1918 ..... Retired
Died 2-9-20

FRAZIER, THOMAS C.
1906 ..... South Greenville
1909 ..... Belton
1911 ..... Greenwood
1912 ..... Chesnee
1914 ..... Wilkinsville
1914 ..... Townsville; Bullock
1916 ..... Lawndale; Flat Rock
1918 ..... Bessemer City; Kings Mt.
1919 ..... Bessemer City; Galillee
1921 ..... Winston; Mayes Chapel
1924 ..... Forest City
1926 ..... Trans. to East Tennessee
1927 ..... Chattanooga; Staley
1928 ..... North Carolina; Phila.
1929 ..... Advance
1930 ..... Marion
1933 ..... Statesville; Philadelphia
1937 ..... Catwaba Ct.
1938 ..... Lexington
1939 ..... Brown Summit; Caswell
1940 ..... Basses; Browning
1941 ..... Kernersville Ct.
1942 ..... Wilkesboro Ct.
1943 ..... Mt. Holly Ct.
1944 ..... Mt. Holly; Rock Grove
1945 ..... Retired
Died 1958

FRIEND, IRA A.
1935 ..... Walnut Cove; Rockhill
1936 ..... Jones; Salem
1938 ..... Lowesville; Tuckers
1940 ..... Mooresville Ct.
1949 ..... Mt. Airy; Jones Temple;
Pilot Mt.
1950 ..... Wesleys Chapel;
Chapel Hill
1955 ..... Red Springs
1957 ..... Forest City
1958 Mt. Zion and Philadelphia

FROST, EVANGELIST
1943 ..... Trinity; Glenola
1945 ..... Trinity Ct.
1946 ..... Thomasville; Trinity;
Glenola
1947 ..... Trinity Ct.
1955 ..... Retired

GAMBLE, JAMES WILLIAM
1930 ..... South Carolina Conf.
1930 ..... Pendleton Charge
1932 ..... No Record
1942 ..... Joined N. C. Conf.
1943 ..... Newport News;
Pleasant Ridge
1946 ..... Kings Mountain
1949 ..... Catawba Larger Parish
1950 ..... Supernumerary

GANNAWAY, HERBERT C.
1926 ..... In School
1927 ..... Newport News
1928 ..... Gastonia

1932 ..... Rowland; Salem
1933 ..... Madison
1935 ..... Leaksville
1938 ..... Maxton
1940 ..... Maxton; Piney Grove
Died 7-7-45

GARRETT, JAMES HENRY
1903 ..... Jackson
1907 ..... Danville; Spray
1909 ..... Jackson
1914 ..... Jackson; Rankin
1916 ..... Wentworth; Settles
1922 ..... Caswell
1925 ..... Retired
Died 2-9-35

GIDNEY, CALVIN LEROY
1926 ..... Charlotte Mission
1927 ..... Rowland; Salem
1928 ..... Rockingham Ct.
1930 ..... Mount Airy
1932 ..... Winston-Salem; Mt. Pleasant
1933 ..... Newton; Conover
1934 ..... Sherrills Ford
1938 ..... Mooresville
1940 ..... Lowesville Ct.
1941 ..... Gastonia; Cherryville
1942 ..... Gastonia Ct.
1944 ..... Lexington
1952 ..... Lexington; Raleigh
1953 ..... Raleigh
1958 ..... Forest City

GLEAVES, BENJAMIN F.
1924 ..... Wilmington
1926 ..... Ramseur
1928 ..... Cherryville; Bethel
1929 ..... Shelby
1930 ..... Cherryville
1932 ..... Kings Mountain
1940 ..... Rowland; Salem
1942 ..... Philadelphia; New Zion; Pembroke
1944 ..... Hoffman; Pembroke
1946 ..... Wilmington; Bolton; Pembroke
1947 ..... Bolton
1949 ..... Bolton; Pembroke; Mt. Zion
1954 ..... New Zion; Mt. Zion
1958 ..... Retired

GRAHAM, OSCAR M.
1944 ..... Bolton
1945 ..... In School
1948 ..... Forest City
1949 ..... Gastonia
1950 ..... Chaplain—U. S. Army
1955 ..... Goldsboro
1958 ..... Bolton

GWYNN, JAMES W.
1948 ..... In School
1951 ..... Ramseur
1953 ..... Oxford
1957 Winston-Salem, St. Andrews and Walnut Cove

HAIRSTON, W. E.
1917 ..... Empire
1918 ..... Newport News
1919 ..... Rowland; Salem
1921 ..... Leaksville
1926 ..... South High Point
1938 ..... High Point; Brooks Mem.
1929 ..... Lumberton
1936 ..... Hickory
1939 ..... Leave of Absence
1940 ..... Brown Summit Ct.
1941 ..... Asheboro; Mitchell
1946 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1954 ..... Sabbatical Leave
1955 ..... Wesley and Chapel Hill

HALL, J. W.
1926 ..... Oxford
1929 ..... Oxford; Township
Died 1953

HARKNESS, DAVID S.
1935 ..... Loews; Spring Hill Johnson
1936 ..... In School
1939 ..... Kelleyton Ct.
1940 ..... Center Grove Ct.
1942 ..... Spring Hill
1942 ..... Waynesboro
1943 ..... Macon
1945 ..... Chaplain, U. S. Army
1948 ..... Gastonia
1949 ..... Kings Mountain
1950 ..... Ramseur
1951 ..... Chaplain, U. S. Army
1952 ..... Red Springs
1953 ..... Maxton
1955 ..... Marion

HILL, DOCK A.
1930 ..... Star
1931 ..... Liberty Grove
1933 ..... Trinity; Glenola
1936 ..... Brown Summitt
1938 ..... Advance; Oak G[illegible]
1939 ..... Retired
1940 ..... Greensboro
1942 ..... Kernersville Ct.
1944 ..... Empire
1947 ..... Lincolnton Ct.
1949 ..... West Asheville
Died ?

HOGUE, GEORGE E.
1929 ..... Lenoir Ct.
1930 ..... Pen Hook

1931 ..... Franklin
1934 ..... Johns; Beaver Dam
1935 ..... John's; Salem
1936 ..... Red Springs; St. Mark's; Hickory Bend
1942 ..... Charlotte; Simpson Mem.
1943 ..... Supt. Western District
1949 ..... Ex. Sec. Conf. Bd. of Edu.
1951 ..... Laurinburg

HOUSTON, HOLTON HENRY
1935 ..... Hunters
1936 ..... Bessemer City
1940 ..... Lenoir Circuit
1943 ..... Lenoir
1946 ..... Lenoir
Died ?

HOWARD, CHARLES E.
1919 ..... Madison
1920 ..... Winston; Reynolda; Boston Cottage
1923 ..... Wilkesboro
1925 ..... Supernumerary
1926 ..... Mocksville
1927 ..... Lincolnton; Mt. Holly
1928 ..... Retired

ISHAM, JOHN H.
1919 ..... Newport News
1920 ..... Madison; Stoneville
1921 ..... Forest City
1924 ..... Oxford; Bullocks
1926 ..... Rockingham; Philadelphia
Died 9-21-27

JENKINS, P. W.
1938 ..... In School
1939 ..... Thomasville
1941 ..... Chaplain, U. S. Army

JOHNSON, PETER F.
1898 ..... Marion
1899 ..... Standley; Mt. Holly
1901 ..... Monroe
1902 ..... Patterson
1903 ..... Newton
1904 ..... Winston Ct.
1905 ..... Advance; St. James
1907 ..... Salisbury
1909 ..... Jonesville
1912 ..... Sherrill's Ford
1916 ..... Marion; Addies Chapel
1918 ..... Lenoir
1919 ..... Newton; Conover
1920 ..... Lawndale; Flat Rock
1922 ..... Lincolnton; Mt. Holly
1924 ..... Mooresville; Mayhew
1926 ..... Old Fort
1927 ..... Greensboro; East
1928 ..... Asheboro
1930 ..... Rowland; Salem
1931 ..... Catawba
1932 ..... Wilkesboro
1933 ..... Bessemer City; Cherryville Bethel
1934 ..... Bessemer; Galilee
1935 ..... Lenoir Ct.
1937 ..... West Asheville
1938 ..... Retired
Died 1938

JONES, HENRY
1927 ..... Rural Hall
Died 5-27-41

JONES, JOHN W.
1916 ..... Kernersville
1920 ..... Madison Ct.
1922 ..... McPelah; St. James
1923 ..... McPelah; Stanley
1924 ..... Boone
1925 ..... Retired
Died December, 1930

JONES, JOHN WESLEY
1943 ..... Rural Hall; Pilot Mtn.
1945 ..... Thomasville
1948 ..... Hoover's Chapel; Andrew's Grove
1949 Hoover's Chapel; Andrew's and Chestnut Grove
1954 ..... East Thomasville
1958 ..... Asheboro and St. Mark

JONES, JAMES T.
1950 ..... Browning Chapel
1951 ..... Gastonia; Epworth
1957 ..... Gastonia and Bessemer City
1958 ..... Gastonia

JONES, M. M.
1891 ..... Asheville
1894 ..... Maxton; Piney Grove
1895 ..... Reidsville
1896 ..... Greensboro
1898 ..... Laurinburg
1900 ..... Supt. Western District
1906 ..... Supt. Raleigh District
1909 ..... Supt. Winston District
1912 ..... Charlotte
1915 ..... Lexington; Thomasville
1917 ..... Red Springs; Hickory Bend
1918 ..... Red Springs; Bowmore
1920 ..... Supt. Wilmington District
Died 3-9-25

KIRKLAND, GEORGE DAVID
1942 ..... Catawba Ct.
Died 11-27-45

KEARSE, DAVID H.
1898 ..... Reidsville, S. C.
1899 ..... Yorkville
1901 ..... Cowpens
1913 ..... Seneca

1914 ..... Supernumerary
1915 ..... Withdrew
1921 ..... Durham; Creedmore
1922 ..... Lawndale; Brooks
1925 ..... Shelby Ct.
1926 ..... Bessemer City
1928 ..... Lincolnton; Mt. Holly; Stanley
1930 ..... Rockingham; So. Pines
1931 ..... Rockingham; Philadelphia
1932 ..... Pembroke Ct.
1933 ..... Retired
Died 1938

LAUGHLIN, JAMES A.
1898 ..... Statesville; Philadelphia
1902 ..... Central Randolph
1905 ..... West Greensboro
1910 ..... Greensboro; High St.; Bass
1914 ..... Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1918 ..... Supt. Western District
1923 ..... Guilford
1925 ..... Retired
Died 11-19-25

LAUGHLIN, MARCUS C.
1908 ..... East Greensboro
1919 ..... Lenoir
1924 ..... Newton; Conover
1925 ..... East Thomasville
1932 ..... Midway; Chestnut Grove
Died 7-17-33

LAUGHLIN, M. SAMUEL
1933 ..... Pen Hook
1936 ..... Ramseur
1940 ..... Red Springs; Beauty Spot
1941 ..... Marion; Old Fort
1942 ..... Marion Ct.
1944 ..... Marion; Addie Chapel
1945 ..... Madison; Stoneville
1947 ..... Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1953 ..... St. Home; Winston-Salem
1955 ..... Statesville
1956 ..... Wilkesboro Ct.
1958 ..... Lowesville

LEDWELL, JAMES H.
1932 ..... Caswell
1934 ..... Kernersville
1935 ..... Kernersville
1938 ..... Bass Chapel
1940 ..... Kernersville Ct.
1941 ..... Wesley; Chapel Hill
1950 ..... Retired

LOMAX, WALTER T.
1903 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1905 ..... Central Randolph
1910 ..... Reidsville Ct.
1912 ..... Greensboro; South
1916 ..... Greensboro; Northwest
1924 ..... Hickory
1929 ..... Reidsville
1933 ..... High Point; St. Mark's
1935 ..... Supt. Greensboro District
1941 ..... Basses; Raleigh's Crossroads
1949 ..... Retired
1950 ..... Brown Summit Charge
1958 ..... Kernersville

LYNCH, JAMES WATKINS
1946 ..... Asheboro
1949 ..... Kernersville
1951 ..... Supernumerary
Died 1956

MATTISON, ERNEST N.
1937 ..... Mt. Holly; Stanley
1939 ..... Newton Conover
1940 ..... Mt. Holly Circuit
1943 ..... Chaplain U. S. Army
1947 ..... In School
1949 ..... Fayetteville
1951 ..... Chaplain U. S. Army
1954 ..... Forest City
1957 ..... Washington Conference

MAYFIELD, LAMON
1936 ..... Randleman
1938 ..... Guilford; Kernersville
1939 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1940 ..... Ramseur; Marion
1941 ..... High Point; Brooks Mem.
1951 ..... Supt. Winston District
1957 ..... Winston-Salem: St. Paul

MILLS, JOHN S.
1956 ..... Wilmington
Trans. from A. M. E. Zion
1957 ..... Maxton

McBRAYER, SUMMIE B.
1936 ..... Bessemer; Galilee
1938 ..... Sherrils Ford; Lincolnton
1940 ..... Catawba Ct.
1942 ..... Newton Ct.
1944 ..... Shelby; Philadelphia; Durham Chapel
1945 ..... Mt. Airy
1949 ..... Rowland; Salem
1953 ..... Red Springs
1955 ..... Mooresboro; Philadelphia

McCALLUM, F. FELTON
1937 ..... Tazewell
1938 ..... S. Pittsburg
1939 ..... Chattanooga; Grace
1941 ..... Glade Springs Ct.
1942 ..... Winchester
1943 ..... Steubenville
1945 ..... Maysville
1946 ..... Evansville; Rockport

1948 Detroit; Mitchell Mem.
1949 Owensboro
1950 New Zion
1952 New London; Sec. Meth.
1953 Newport News
1954 Sanford Ct.
1955 Kings Mountain
1957 Red Springs

McCALLUM, JAMES ENOCH
1947 In School
1950 Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1951 Conf. Dir. of Relig. Ed.
1955 Durham and Conf. Dir. of Relig. Ed.
1956 Chaplain, Wiley College

McCALLUM, JAMES H.
1942 Hoffman Ct.
1944 Bomore; Mt. Zion
1948 Bomore; Piney Grove
1949 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1951 Maxton
1953 Cool Springs; Hoffman
1956 Johns St.-Piney Grove

McCALLUM, MARSHALL
1921 Greensboro; Northeast
1924 In School
1927 Shelby; King's Mtn.
1928 Boston Univer. and Asst. Pastor, Fourth St. Methodist Church, Boston, Mass.
1929 Newport News
1930 Claflin College
1934 Orangeburg; Trinity Ch.
1938 Columbia; Wesley Church Prof. at Allen Univ.
1945 Lenoir
1948 Reidsville; Mt. Zion
1951 Hamlet
1957 Asheville

McCALLUM, ROBERT FRANK
1927 Elkin
1930 Greensboro; South
1933 Leaksville
1935 Winston-Salem; St. Andrews
1942 Supt. Winston District
1945 Supt. Laurinburg District
1948 St. John; Midway
1955 St. Home; Winston

McDONALD, SAMUEL
1907 Lumberton
1909 Mt. Airy
1911 Hamlet; Philadelphia
1913 Jonesville
1916 Forshee
1917 Central Randolph
1918 Retired
Died 9-2-20

McLEAN, DANIEL HUGH
1942 Daytona Beach, Fla.
1944 Gainesville, Fla.
1953 Lumberton, N. C.
1957 Hamlet

McLEOD, EDWARD MOTON
1925 Catawba Ct.
1927 Catawba Ct.
1928 Lowesville; McPelah; St. James
1932 Shelby; Brooks
1935 Forest City; Shelby
1937 Bowmore; Mt. Zion
1941 Ramseur
1944 Leaksville
1949 Bomore; Piney Grove
1954 Johns; Piney Grove
1956 Bolton
1955 Retired

McLEOD, WILLIAM S.
1933 Beauty Spot; Mt. Zion
1936 West Raleigh
1941 High Point; St. Marks
1945 Supt. Winston District
1951 Brooks Mem., High Point

McNAIR, JOHN R.
1907 In School
1908 Monroe; Bethel
1909 Wilmington Ct.
1912 Pleasant Ridge
1915 Lawndale; Flat Rock
1916 In School
1918 Leaksville
1921 Norfolk
1923 Bowmore; Sand Hill
1924 Retired
Died 11-28-41

McRAE, ROBERT B.
1922 Goldsboro
1923 Ramseur
1926 Franklin
1929 Mt. Pleasant; Winston-Salem
1930 Hamlet
1939 Charlotte
1940 Supt. Laurinburg District
1945 High Point; St. Mark
1950 Reidsville
1952 Forest City
1954 Fayetteville

MOORE, DOUGLAS E.
1950 In School
1953 Ramseur
1954 Leaksville
1956 Durham-Executive Sec.

PASS, NORRIS JAN
1906 Newport News
1907 Gastonia; Bessemer City
1908 Gastonia
1910 Lexington; Thomasville
1915 Charlotte
1918 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1923 Supt. Western District
1929 Lawndale; Brooks
1932 Forest City; Lawndale
1935 Lawndale; Brooks
1944 Shelby; Brooks
1945 Philadelphia
Died 1953

PATTERSON, GEORGE W.
1925 Boone
1926 Mooresville; Mayhew
1928 Marion
1929 Forest City
1930 Wilkesboro
1932 West Asheville
1933 Wilkesboro
1934 Catawba
1936 Newton; Conover
1939 Statesville; Philadelphia
1940 Kings Mtn. Ct
1941 Elkin
1944 John's Beaver Dam
1946 John's Beauty Spot
1947 Rowland; Salem
1949 Mooresville
1957 Kings Mountain

PATTERSON, JOHN JETHRO
1940 Fayetteville
1943 Hamlet
1950 High Point

PEACE, SAMUEL F. B.
1896 Lenoir
1899 Gastonia
1900 Laurinburg
1906 Charlotte
1908 Supt. Greensboro District
1914 Greensboro; High St.; Raleigh
1919 Winston-Mays Chapel
1921 Rowland; Salem
1926 Hamlet
1929 Lexington
1933 Greensboro; South
1935 Mt. Airy
Died 12-14-37

PEELER, S. A.
1895 Savannah Conference Warren St. (Macon)
1898 Trans. to N. C. Conf.
1902 Greensboro
1905 Pres.; Bennett College
1913 Reidsville
1914 Supt. Wilmington Dist.
1920 High Point
1926 West Raleigh
1930 Asheville
1936 Greensboro; High St.
1939 Guilford
1941 Greensboro Ct.
1942 Retired
Died 12-3-48

PHELPS, GRANDISON M. SR.
1918 Reidsville
1925 Supt. Wilmington District
1930 Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1937 Supt. Western District
1943 Charlotte; Simpson Mem.
1945 Greensboro; St. Matthews
1950 Supt. Greensboro District
1957 Union Mem. Greensboro

PRINCE, JACOB C.
1904 Austell
1906 Oxford; Bullocks
1908 Asheville
1910 Reidsville
Died 5-23-11

RHYNE, ROBERT B.
1907 Lenoir Ct.
1908 Lincolnton Ct.
1909 King's Mtn. Stanley Creek
1912 Shelby; Lawndale
1915 Bessemer City; King's Mt.
1918 Hickory
1924 Lenoir
1932 Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1935 Asheboro; Mitchell
1941 Red Springs; Beauty Spot
1948 Retired
1948 Red Springs
1952 Cool Spot
1953 Beauty Spot
Died 9- -55

ROBINSON, AVERY EDNEY
1905 Franklin
1906 Madison Ct.
1908 Townsville; Clarksville
1909 Lenoir Ct.
1910 Madison Ct.
1912 Walnut Cove
1915 Advance Ct.
1919 Pen Hook; Hale's Ford
1921 Wilmington
1923 Empire
1925 Sherrill's Ford
1927 Old Fort
1929 Bessemer City; King's Mt.
1930 Lincolnton; Mt. Holly; Stanley
1932 Retired

ROYSTER, WILLIAM R.
1947 Addie Chapel; Glades; Old Fort
1948 Marion
1955 Shelby Ct.
1956 S. Greensboro

RUSH, J. C.
1918 Oxford
1921 Newport News
1922 East Thomasville
1925 South High Point
1926 Maxton; Piney Grove
1931 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1933 Charlotte
1936 Supt. Laurinburg District
1939 Hickory
1940 Reidsville
1945 Winston-Salem; Mt. Pleasant
Died 4-21-47

SAWYER, JAMES FRANKLIN
1943 Sanford Ct.
1947 Johns; Beauty Spot
1953 Rowland

SCARBOROUGH, W. C. L.
1921 Winston; Mt. Pleasant
1923 Greensboro; High St.
1927 Thomasville
1929 High Point; Brooks Mem.
1931 West Raleigh
1936 Gastonia
1939 Hamlet
1940 Lenoir
1944 Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1957 Trans. Washington Conf.

SHAMBORGUER, NOAH S. T.
1907 Winston; Boston; St. James
1909 Wilmington
1910 Pleasant Ridge
1912 Mayhew Ct.
1915 Kernersville
1917 Asheboro; Mitchell
1919 Lowesville; Stanley
1921 Mooresville; Mayhew
1924 Sherrill's Ford
1925 Greensboro; Northwest
1930 Bowmore; Mt. Zion
Died 10-12-31

SHARPE, ROBERT C.
1933 Thomasville; E. Midway
1937 High Point; Brooks Mem.
1941 Browning; St. James
1944 Greensboro; Northwest
1946 Durham
1950 Warren St.; Mt. Carmel Greensboro
1954 Supt. Laurinburg District

SHARPE, RALPH DAVID
1943 Lumberton; New Zion
1949 Maxton
1950 Hickory

SHIPP, ROBERT JAMES
1898 W. Greensboro
1901 Central Randolph
1902 Statesville; Philadelphia
1904 Shelby; Falston
1906 Sherills Ford
1909 W. Asheville
1911 Trinity; Liberty
1913 Ramseur
1916 Empire
1917 Oxford
1918 Mt. Airy; Pilot Mtn.
1919 Goldsboro
1921 John's; Beaver Dam
1924 Bowmore; Sand Hill
1926 Beauty Spot; New Zion
1929 Wilkesboro
1930 Advance
1932 Mt. Zion; St. Mark; Hickory Bend
1933 Retired

STEWART, BENJAMIN W.
1937 Advance; Oak Grove
1938 Forest City
1939 Leaksville
1944 Winston-Salem; Mt. Pleasant
1945 Charlotte; Simpson Mem. Chestnut Grove
1949 Madison; Stoneville
Died 1958

STOWE, ARTHUR WILLIS
1942 Boone Ct.
1943 Cornelius Ct.
1945 Denver Ct.
... Lawesville Ct.
1958 Newton and Granite Falls

STRICKLAND, CLARENCE E.
1941 Hickory Bend
1943 Goldsboro
1944 Philadelphia; St. Peters
1945 Shelby
1955 Charlotte; Simpson

SWAN, E. I.
1911 Shelby; Lawndale
1912 Hickory
1915 West Asheville
1916 Lenoir
1917 West Raleigh
1918 Statesville; Philadelphia
1920 Marion; Addies
1922 Asheboro
1923 Goldsboro; Rocky Mt.

1924 ..... Catawba Ct.
1925 ..... Greensboro; Northeast
1928 ... Bessemer City, Kings Mt.
1929 ..... Old Fort
1931 ..... Old Fort; Glades
1932 ..... Boone
1938 ..... Beauty Spot; New Zion
1939 ..... Retired
Died 10-3-41

TARPLEY, THOMAS CLEMIE
1943 Walnut Cove; Walkertown
1945 ..... Chestnut Grove
1946 ..... Chestnut Grove; Laughlin Mem.
1953 ..... Randleman; Kernersville
1954 ... Shady Grove; Cox Chapel
1957 ..... Collins Grove

TATUM, ELMO CHATTMAN
1937 ..... In School
1943 Summerfield; Collins Grove
1945 ..... In School
1946 ..... Southern Pines
1947 ..... Prof. Philander Smith College
1948 ..... Chaplain; Arkansas State College
1949 ..... No record of appt. Chaplain U. S. Army

SHUFORD, JOHN W.
1915 ..... Goldsboro; New Bern
1916 ..... Lenoir Ct.
1917 ... W. Asheville; Henderson
1918 ... Waynesville; W. Ashford
1919 ..... Laurendale; Flat Rock
1920 ..... Newton; Conover
1924 ..... Gastonia
1925 ..... Marion; St. James
1928 ..... Greensboro; East
1935 ..... Greensboro; South
1954 ..... Mt. Tabor
1954 ..... Retired

SIMPSON, I. GRANTHAM
1947 ..... Charlotte; Mt. Holly; Boulware Chapel
1949 ..... Leaksville
1954 ..... S. Greensboro
1956 ... Trans. Washington Conf.

SIMPSON, JOHN W.
1933 ..... Lexington
1934 ..... Thomasville
1935 ..... Greensboro; Northwest
1942 ..... Retired
Died 7-10-43

SKEEN, DAVID C.
1907 ..... High St.; Basses
1910 ..... Machpelah
1913 ..... Reidsville Ct.
1914 ..... Asheboro; Mitchell
1917 ..... South High Point
1921 ..... East Thomasville
1922 ..... Newport News
1923 ... Rockingham; Philadelphia
1925 ..... Mt. Zion
1926 ..... Bowmore; Mt. Zion
1930 ..... Elkin; Jonesville
1931 ..... Elkin; Jonesboro
1935 ..... Madison; Rock Hill
1939 ..... Elkin
1941 ..... King's Mountain
1943 ..... Retired
1944 ..... Randleman
1947 ..... Warren St.
1953 ..... Philadelphia

STATON, BEVERLY E.
1927 ..... Pen Hook
1930 ..... Forest City
1932 ..... Lowesville; McPheeler; St. James
1933 ..... Lowesville; McPheeler
1934 ..... Lowesville; Tucker
1937 ..... Empire Ct.
1940 ..... Randleman
1944 ..... Jonesville; Elkin
1947 ..... Elkin
1948 ..... Catawba
Died 5-28-50

TAYLOR, PRINCE A., JR.,
1929 ..... In School
1931 ... Kernersville; New Bethel
1932 ..... Northwest
1933 ..... Greensboro; Northwest
1935 ..... Thomasville
1938 ..... In School
1941 ... Instructor; Bennett Col.
1943 ..... Dept. Religious Educa.; Gammon Seminary
1948 ... Editor; Central Christian Advocate
1956 ..... Elected Bishop

THOMAS, BENJAMIN F.
1893 ..... Yadkin
1894 ..... E. Greensboro
1896 ..... Center; Julian
1898 ..... Summerfield
1900 ..... Rowland; Salem
1902 ..... Hamlet
1903 ..... Madison
1905 ..... Lowesville
1907 ... Forest City; Bracketown
1909 ..... Wentworth
1913 ..... Lenoir
1914 ..... Wilkesboro

1919 ..... Trinity; Liberty
1921 ..... Walnut Cove
1923 ..... Madison Ct.
1924 ..... Randleman; St. Mark
1925 ..... Asheboro Ct.
1926 ..... Mt. Airy Ct.
1927 ..... Advance
1929 ..... Kernersville
1931 ..... Midway; Chestnut Grove
1932 ..... Sanford Ct.
1933 ..... Charlotte; Mission
1934 ..... Goldsboro
1935 ..... Retired

THOMAS, D. L.
1914 ..... Lenoir
1916 ..... West Asheville
1917 ..... Leaksville; Shady Grove
1918 ..... West Raleigh
1922 ..... Oxford, Bullocks
1924 ..... Red Springs
1926 ..... Lumberton
1929 ..... Thomasville
1934 ..... Winston-Salem; Bellview; Mt. Pleasant
1935 ..... West Asheville
1937 ..... Newport News
1939 ..... Trinity; Glenola
1941 ..... Philadelphia; New Zion
1942 ..... Sanford Ct.
1943 ..... Retired

THOMAS, W. O.
1910 ..... Jefferson
1911 ..... Marion; Old Fort
1914 ..... Trinity; Liberty
1916 ..... In School
1917 ..... Suwanee
1918 ..... Fort Street
1919 ..... Covington
1920 ..... Hogansville; Corinth
1922 ..... Supt. Rome District
1923 ..... Oak Hill
1924 ..... Sweet Home
1926 ..... Leave of Absence
1927 ..... Sweet Home
1928 ..... Center Point
1932 ..... Van Buren
1933 ..... New Edinburg
1934 ..... McGehee
1937 ..... Montgomery; Metropolitan
1938 ..... Lafayette
1940 ..... Hamlet
1943 ..... Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1945 ..... Secretary of Evangelism
1946 ..... Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1947 ..... Madison
1949 ..... Retired
Died 3-6-50

TOWNSHIP, SAMUEL L.
1940 ..... Philadelphia; New Zion
1941 ..... Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1943 ..... Greensboro; Northwest
1944 ..... Wilmington
1945 ..... Reidsville
1948 ..... Lenoir

WALLS, WILLIAM R.
1950 ..... Charlotte; Boulware Chapel
1952 ..... Philadelphia; Hoffman
1953 ..... Greensboro; Laughlins
1954 ..... Withdrew from the Methodist Church
1958 ..... Withdrew from the Methodist Church

WEATHERBY, R. T.
1901 ..... Sec. YMCA, Tennessee
1908 ..... Murfreesboro
1910 ..... Nashville
1912 ..... Greensboro; St. Matthews
1918 ..... YMCA Work—U. S. Army
1922 ..... Evangelist; Bd. of Missions
1923 ..... Field Asst.; Sec. Bd., Home Missions and Ch. Ext.
1924 ..... Greensboro; St. Matthews
Died 7-21-40

WEBB, PRINCE WILLIAM
1900 ..... Ft. Smith, Arkansas
1902 ..... Van Buren
1903 ..... Little Rock
1910 ..... Union Grove
1911 ..... Marvel
1912 ..... Fayetteville
1913 ..... In School
1915 ..... Lonoke; Richwood
1917 ..... Hot Springs
1918 ..... Hunter
1921 ..... Forest City; Widener Msn.
1922 ..... Brinkley Ct.
1923 ..... Leave of Absence
1925 ..... Indiana Harbor
1926 ..... Porter
1927 ..... Eufaula
1929 ..... Davis Ct.
1930 ..... St. James
1931 ..... Supt. Marion District
1933 ..... Little Rock
1934 ..... Ft. Gibson
1935 ..... Shawnee Ct.
1937 ..... Nashville Ct.
1938 ..... New Edinburg
1939 ..... Danville Ct.
1940 ..... Paroloma
1941 ..... Johns; Beaver Dam

1943 ..... Shelby
1944 ..... Ramseur
1948 ..... Lowesville
Died ?

WELLS, JOHN W.
1899 ..... Raleigh
1900 ..... Hickory; Newton
1901 ..... Lenoir
1903 ..... Forest City
1904 ..... In School
1906 ..... West Asheville
1907 ..... Maxton
1909 ..... High Point
1913 ..... Leaksville
1916 ..... Reidsville
1918 ..... Nashville; Braden
1920 ..... Supt. Murfreesboro Dist.
1922 ..... Marshall, Texas
1925 ..... New Orleans; Mt. Zion
1926 ..... New Orleans; Trinity
1927 ..... Shreveport
1929 ..... Mobile, Alabama
1930 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1931 ..... Charlotte
1933 ..... Winston-Salem; Belview
Died 6-18-34 Mt. Pleasant

WELLS, PINKNEY
1908 ..... Advance; Wesley; Mocksville
1909 ..... South High Point
1911 ..... Mt. Airy
1915 ..... Mt. Zion; Bomore
1917 ..... Lexington; Thomasville
1924 ..... Greensboro; East
1927 ..... Leaksville
1929 ..... Hickory
1931 ..... Maxton; Piney Grove
1936 ..... Reidsville; Wesley Chapel
1940 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1946 ..... Greensboro; N. West
1947 ..... Greensboro; Browning
1948 ..... Mt. Carmel; Mt. Tabor
Died 1954

WILLIAMS, D. ARTHUR
1909 ..... Franklin
1910 ..... Lenoir Ct.
1911 ..... Salisbury; Morning Star
1912 ..... Wilmington
1913 ..... Goldsboro; New Bern
1915 ..... Lanes Chapel; St. Johns
1916 ..... Lincolnton; Cherryville
1919 ..... Supernumerary
1939 ..... Boone
1940 ..... Mooresboro
1941 ..... Hunters; Cornelius
1942 ..... Wingate
1944 ..... Bracket Town
1945 ..... Charlotte Boulware
1946 ..... Boulware; Monroe
1947 ..... Goldsboro
1950 ..... Retired

WINCHESTER, ROBERT W.
1901 ..... W. Asheville
1903 ..... Reidsville; Danville
1908 ..... Leaksville
1910 ..... Greensboro; St. Matthews
1912 ..... Supt. Winston District
1918 ..... Greensboro; St. Matthews
1924 ..... Lexington; Thomasville
1925 ..... Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1929 ..... Supt. Western District
1931 ..... Supt. Greensboro District
1935 ..... High Point; St. Marks
1941 ..... Supt. Greensboro District
1945 ..... Retired
1953 ..... Summerfield; Collins

WOODLAND, HORACE C.
1934 ..... In School
1935 ..... Dept. Religious Education Morristown College
1936 ..... Boston College
1937 ..... Winston-Salem St. Paul Asst.
1942 ..... Mt. Airy
1945 ..... Director of Youth and Religious Education
1946 ..... Conf. Youth Counselor
1947 ..... Raleigh
1948 ..... Supernumerary

WOOTTEN, Thomas H.
1931 ..... In School
1932 ..... Newport News
1934 ..... Ramseur
1936 ..... Greensboro; East
1937 ..... Statesville; Philadelphia
1940 ..... Gastonia
1941 ..... Hickory
1946 ..... Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1949 ..... Lumberton
1955 ..... Supt. Western Dist.
1951 ..... Charlotte
Died 1958

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S.—Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets Greensboro District

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		Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Rec'd. this Year on Profession of Faith and Restored	Received by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarterly Conference	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	All Others: Children, Youth, Adults	Preparatory Members now on Roll	Officers and Teachers	Nursery Home Members	Children (Exclude Col. 14)	Youth Division 12-23 Years	Adult-Home Members	Adults (Exclude Col. 17)	Total (Add 13-18 Inclusive)	Avg. Attend. at Sun. Sch. (All Ages)	Avg. Attend. Sun. Evening Fellowship	Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions: Children	Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions: Youth	Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions: Older Adults
Basses and Raleigh Circuit	Eugene Black	322	7		3			2	9	321	5	3	13	23		90	70		50	233	120	70	30	35	35
Brown Summit Circuit	W. T. Lomax	249	5		1			4	3	240	3	3	7	18	23		43	15	15	114	89				
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove	C. G. Bynum																								
Durham	D. E. Moore	29	1	2	14					46		3		6		44	10		8	68	50				
Empire Circuit	F. D. Morehead	148	5						3	150			20	15	3	15	17		20	70	50	12		15	
Greensboro:																									
Browning Chapel	C. C. Armstrong	78	8	2						88	3			6	34			20		60	41				
Mount Tabor	J. W. Shufford	70	8							78	1		20	8		20	15		25	86	50				
Saint Matthew	J. E. Brower	643	9	10	4	4		2	9	651	10	3	132	23	70	98	67	42		300	244	63	46	38	32
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster	300	8	2	1				1	310	5	15	50	18		60	71	45	50	244	200	40	20	55	
Union Memorial	G. M. Phelps	234	9	5	6	1	1		1	256	41	11	15	12	30	40	25		24	131	80			25	
Warren St.-Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell	152	8	1	1			4	4	152	15	6	51	18	17	35	40	30	15	155	80			34	
Kernersville	W. N. Napper	137	1	1				1	3	134	2	1	8	24		28	18		14	84	50			14	
Laughlin and Ramseur	Liston Sellers	192	4					2	3	191		4	1	28		30	32		50	140	100	45		40	
Leaksville		204	1	1	1		6			201	1	1		21	23	76	42	26	72	260	130	8		8	
Mt. Zion	J. H. Minor	25								25				7		5			15	22	15				
Newport News Circuit	W. S. Berry	186								186				15		20	16	12	63						
Oxford		89	8	2	2					101		12	60	12	15	20	20	5	60	82	55	55			
Raleigh	C. L. Gidney	189	6	1					6		8		28	23	19		38			82	62		32	42	48
Randleman	I. C. Spinks	26							3	23			14	14	5	25	19	20		34	35			10	
Reidsville	G. H. Caldwell	142	5			1			2	145	8	6	15	10		18	15		22	62	40		15	8	
St. James and Summerfield	W. N. Johnson	66	7	1	5		1		1	75		7	18	16		40	27		20	103	68				
St. Peters	R. M. Martin									100				9		18	22		11	60	40				
Collins Grove	T. C. Tarpley	60	5							65	7	24	23	6		26	15		12	59	35			15	
Wesley Chapel Circuit	W. E. Hairston	356	10	4					3	366	2	10	14	18		66	43		32	159	113		24	22	14
Zion Hill	Liston Sellers																								

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS — GENERAL INFORMATION						W. S. C. S.			Methodist Men				PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS			
		Number of Church Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Weekday Schools	Church School Members Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Are Lesson Materials Approved by The Methodist Church	Church School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.	Number of Societies (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Membership (Including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups	Membership	Number "Together" Subscriptions	Number of Organized Churches	Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Bldgs., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses
Basses and Raleigh Circuit	Eugene Black	2	160		6		125	2	35	190	2	35		2	$ 83,000	$	$	$
Brown Summit Circuit	W. T. Lomax	3						3	45					3	25,000	10,000	3,500	
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove	C. G. Bynum																	
Durham	D. E. Moore							1	15	400					20,000			
Empire Circuit	F. D. Morehead	3					53	3						3	8,500	200		
Greensboro:																		
Browning Chapel	C. C. Armstrong	1						1	17	29	1	12		1	16,000			
Mount Tabor	J. W. Shufford	1	68		6		48	1		650		20	8	1	35,000			
Saint Matthew	J. E. Brower	1	280	30	6		37	1	284	1,200	1	59		1	155,000	15,000	11,000	1,800
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster	3			8		70	3	100		3	40		3	80,000		20,000	
Union Memorial	G. M. Phelps	1	72	60	11			1	69	166	1		1	1	76,000	1,500		3,437
Warren St.-Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell	2			8		75	2	60	450		22		2	50,000	1,000		1,000
Kernersville	W. N. Napper	3					19	3	31	60				3	12,000			
Laughlin and Ramseur	Liston Sellers	2	100				202	2	50	88	2	30		2	25,000	5,000		
Leaksville		2			9			2	50	52	1	18		2	39,000	5,000	250	
Mt. Zion	J. H. Minor	2												2	9,000			
Newport News Circuit	W. S. Berry																	
Oxford		1	40	10	1			1		99				1	40,000	10,000		8,141
Raleigh	C. L. Gidney	1	132	8	17		137	1	36	587	11	38		1	55,000	22,000		11,000
Randleman	I. C. Spinks	1					50	1	11	30		6		1	12,000	1,100		596
Reidsville	G. H. Caldwell	1			1		100	1	30	250	1	15		1	30,000	10,000		3,000
St. James and Summerfield	W. N. Johnson	2	50					2	2	300			8	2	6,000			300
St. Peters	R. M. Martin																	
Collins Grove	T. C. Tarpley	1			3			1	13		1	16			10,000			5,500
Wesley Chapel Circuit	W. E. Hairston	2			8		35	2		612			2	2	55,000			
Zion Hill	Liston Sellers																	
Total		35	902	108	84		951	34	848	5,103	24	311	19	34	$841,500	$ 80,800	$ 34,750	$ 34,674

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP													CHURCH SCHOOLS											
												Baptisms			CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP							ATTENDANCE				
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Bolton	E. M. McLeod	50	3	2	5					60				6		20	10	10		46					
Charlotte-Simpson	C. E. Stricklin	268	19		2			1	3	293	5	2	2	17			30	45	12	104	100	25	16	20	30
Fairmount	Walter Davis	32	2							34				8			8	11		27	18				
Fayetteville	R. B. McRae	229	6	8	10				3	250	9	2	72	21	42		42		40		85	18			60
Goldsboro	O. M. Graham	22				2				20	4		4	3		7	5		5	20	14				6
Hamlet	D. H. McLean	151	22						2	171				10		65			25	125	75	85		10	25
Hickory Bend Circuit		22								22				4		3	5	10		18	16				
Hoffman-Millers	John McEachin	63	3		1				3	64	12		12	9	10	22	8	9	15	73	47				
Johns-Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum	280	9		1				7	283	18	1	50	21	22	28	22	4	43	140	88	108	38	31	
Laurinburg	G. E. Hogue	230	6	1	5			3	2	241	10	11	80	8	8	45	35	5	56	125	95	18	35	35	
Laurinburg Circuit	Miles Murphy	142	14						2	154	7	7	14	17	16	38	24	11	24	130	100	16			16
Lumberton	J. W. Ferree	263	10	3	5	1		1	4	275	15	2	108	28	10	93	62		62	265	134	110	38	27	45
Maxton	John S. Mills	125	12	1					2	138	2			14		29	40		16	109	90	30		30	10
New Zion-Mt. Zion	B. F. Gleaves	198	8						2	204	8		29	25		58	30		29	142	95	18	16	20	12
Pembroke Circuit	E. C. Campbell	15	7							17	10	12	22	4	2	5	10		11	32	20	12			
Philadelphia	D. C. Skeens	165							5	160			19	11	10	15	35	15	10	96	70				
Red Springs	F. F. McCallum	164	5		1				4	165	1		23	8		10	24	8		50	39	18			
Rowland-Salem	J. F. Sawyer	315	35	4	1				1	356	18	10	30	20		70	75		45	210	180	20		40	
St. Marks	W. M. Cooper																								
Sanford Circuit	A. H. Douglas	147	6						1	152	15		49	21	50		70	55		196	140			35	
Total		2881	167	19	31	3		5	41	3059	119	47	514	255	170	508	535	183	393	1908	1406	478	143	248	204

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Bolton	E. M. McLeod													1	$ 2,000	$	$	$
Charlotte-Simpson	C. E. Stricklin	1	103					1	75	500	1	40		1	70,000	10,000	3,000	13,000
Fairmont	Walter Davis	2													8,000			
Fayetteville	R. B. McRae	1			2		240	1	42	100	1	35		1				
Goldsboro	O. M. Graham						8	1	15	80	1	10		1	12,000	3,000	600	
Hamlet	D. H. McLean		2		18		300	1	15	65	1	25		1	70,000	8,000	22,000	
Hickory Bend Circuit														2	5,000			
Hoffman-Millers	John McEachin	2	28				18	2		100				2	16,000	5,000		150
Johns-Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum	2	76		9		16	2	16	94	1	12		2	19,000			350
Laurinburg	G. E. Hogue	2	40	80	6		100	2	48	35		40		2	45,000	11,000		2,500
Laurinburg Circuit	Miles Murphy	2	50				15	2			1	12		2	20,000		20,000	20,000
Lumberton	J. W. Ferree	2	10		9		271	2	43	350	2	51		2	65,000	5,000		2,621
Maxton	John S. Mills	1	100	90			128	1	40	250	1	40		1	17,000	10,000		
New Zion-Mt. Zion	B. F. Gleaves	2					25	2		28				2	18,000			
Pembroke Circuit	E. C. Campbell				2		75	2		80					3,000			
Philadelphia	D. C. Skeens	1						1	30					1	5,000	2,000		
Red Springs	F. F. McCallum	1					336	1	24	40		16		1	55,000	3,500		
Rowland-Salem	J. F. Sawyer	2	100		18		77	2	60	642	2	37		2	13,000	3,000		
St. Marks	W. M. Cooper																	
Sanford Circuit	A. H. Douglas	3			6		22	3	36					3	40,000			
Total		24	609	170	80		1,631	26	444	2,364	11	318		27	$487,000	$ 60,500	$ 45,600	$ 39,621

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Asheville	Marshall McCallum	147	10						1	156				12	2	12	15	2	22	65	25	25	9	6	15
Brooks-Philadelphia	S. B. McBrayer	270	9		2				4	277			40	11	30	50	27	122		240	70	16		16	25
Catawba-Browns	T. D. McCorkle	44	4					1	1	48				11	10		12		20	43	30				
Forest City	I. A. Friend	281	17						5	293	6	28	15	14		17	23		16	70	50	20			
Franklin	A. E. Robinson	14	2						1	15															
Gastonia-Bessemer	J. T. Jones	149	13	1	1				5	169	6		70	15	11	52	29	4	21	132	72		12	10	
Hickory-Conover	R. D. Sharpe	308	18	1	4	1		2	4	316	18	7	14	18	18	78	39	28		181	110		85	47	51
Kings Mountain	G. W. Patterson	163		2					1	164				20		26	16		22	84	50				
Lenoir-Warrior	S. L. Townsend	380	6	1	3				4	390	12		70	30	12	60	47	3	37	189	150	25	60	35	30
Lincolnton Circuit	C. O. Hill	150	4		3	5			4	155	12	12		30	60		21	24		150	100	56	55	24	92
Lowesville Circuit	A. W. Stowe	167	2						7	162	11	31	14	32	14	14	55	2	66	163	83	35	16	4	35
Marion	D. S. Harkness	98				1			3	94	11	2	13	7		59	10	4	10	90	76	14	18	16	9
Mooresville Circuit	J. Q. Dula	232	55						3	280	2		34	29	13	67	29	1	18	147	75				
Mt. Holly	B. L. Burge	87			2				2	87	15		25	9		38	19		14	80	45	12		14	
Mt. Beulah Circuit	R. H. McDowell	85							2	85	6	6		10	10	10	16		14	60	50				
Newton-Granite Falls	E. A. Williams	164	5						4	165	2		65	18	48	37	41			144	85	19		25	20
Old Fort	John Bowman																								
Shelby Circuit	J. D. Ashford	124	1						2	123				13		40	17		20	90	62	5	34	9	10
Stanley	B. J. Dula	74		1						75	14	29		11		20	20		20	71	60				
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey	102	10						2	111	1		94	16		75	56	48	8	203	104	24		50	10
West Asheville	O. S. Davenport	44							2	42				5		15	6	12		38	25				12
Wilkesboro Circuit	M. S. Laughlin	132	7						3	136	2	28	4	24	12	36	60		40	162	90				
Total		3214	157	6	15	7		3	60	3340	118	143	448	335	251	706	558	250	346	2402	1412	251	289	256	309

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Asheville	Marshall McCallum	1	75		8		30	1		223		25		1	$ 70,000	$ 15,000	$	$ 3,500
Brooks-Philadelphia	S. B. McBrayer	2	150	27	9			2		25	1	18		2	45,000	10,000		9,800
Catawba-Brown	T. D. McCorkle	2	10		4		25	2	12	225		15		2	4,000	1,000		
Forest City	I. A. Friend	1			13		86	1		186					50,000	15,000		
Franklin	A. E. Robinson							1	10					1	2,500	1,500		
Gastonia-Bessemer	J. T. Jones	2	67		11		31	2	18	138		14	1	2	35,000	15,600		2,518
Hickory-Conover	R. D. Sharpe	2	250	71	18		123	2	83	170	1	20	1	2	89,000			
Kings Mountain	G. W. Patterson	2					40	2	25					2	12,000	3,000		8,000
Lenoir-Warrior	S. L. Townsend	2	220		6		40	2	40	90	1	35	1	2	25,000	15,000		4,000
Lincolnton Circuit	C. O. Hill	3			4		42	3		100	1			3	30,000	500		
Lowesville Circuit	A. W. Stowe	4	14		2		47	4	45	69		41		4	23,000			325
Marion	D. S. Harkness	1					68	1	48	368	1	16		1	40,000	10,000	3,000	
Mooresville	J. Q. Dula	4	70		30			4	80		1	15		4	35,000	500		2,500
Mt. Holly	B. L. Burge	1	90				30	1	20	142				1	10,000			
Mt. Beulah Circuit	R. H. McDowell	2	1				37	2	21	214	2	22		2	7,000			1,300
Newton-Granite Falls	E. A. Williams	2	107		3			2		97	2	25		2	40,000	14,000	1,600	800
Old Fort	John Bowman																	
Shelby Circuit	J. D. Ashford	2	75				125	1	42	50	1	20		2	20,000	6,000		
Stanley	B. J. Dula	2					40	2		60		10		2	3,000			
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey	2	26					2	110	2,000	2	22		2	37,000	6,000		8,000
West Asheville	O. S. Davenport							1		54				1	20,000			
Wilkesboro Circuit	M. S. Laughlin	2	45		4		40	1	20	300	1	15		2	50,000	6,000		
Total		39	1,200	98	112		804	39	574	4,511	14	313	3	40	$697,500	$119,100	$ 4,600	$ 40,743

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											Baptisms			CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP							ATTENDANCE				
															Child. Div. 0–11 Years			Adult Div. 24 Yrs. and Over					Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions		
		Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Rec d. this Year on Profession of Faith and Restored	Received by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarterly Conference	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	All Others: Children, Youth, Adults	Preparatory Members now on Roll	Officers and Teachers	Nursery Home Members	Children (Exclude Col. 14)	Youth Division 12-23 Years	Adult-Home Members	Adults (Exclude Col. 17)	Total (Add 13-18 Inclusive)	Avg. Attend. at Sun. Sch. (All Ages)	Avg. Attend. Sun. Evening Fellowship	Children	Youth	Older Adults
Asheville	Marshall McCallum	147	10						1	156				12	2	12	15	2	22	65	25	25	9	6	15
Brooks-Philadelphia	S. B. McBrayer	270	9		2				4	277			40	11	30	50	27	122		240	70	16		16	25
Catawba-Browns	T. D. McCorkle	44	4					1	1	48				11	10		12		20	43	30				
Forest City	I. A. Friend	281	17						5	293	6	28	15	14		17	23		16	70	50	20			
Franklin	A. E. Robinson	14	2						1	15															
Gastonia-Bessemer	J. T. Jones	149	13	1	1				5	169	6		70	15	11	52	29	4	21	132	72		12	10	
Hickory-Conover	R. D. Sharpe	308	18	1	4	1		2	4	316	18	7	14	18	18	78	39	28		181	110		85	47	51
Kings Mountain	G. W. Patterson	163		2					1	164				20		26	16		22	84	50				
Lenoir-Warrior	S. L. Townsend	380	6	1	3				4	390	12		70	30	12	60	47	3	37	189	150	25	60	35	30
Lincolnton Circuit	C. O. Hill	150	4		3	5			4	155	12	12		30	60		21	24		150	100	56	55	24	92
Lowesville Circuit	A. W. Stowe	167	2						7	162	11	31	14	32	14	14	55	2	66	163	83	35	16	4	35
Marion	D. S. Harkness	98				1			3	94	11	2	13	7		59	10	4	10	90	76	14	18	16	9
Mooresville Circuit	J. Q. Dula	232	55						3	280	2		34	29	13	67	29	1	18	147	75				
Mt. Holly	B. L. Burge	87			2				2	87	15		25	9		38	19		14	80	45	12		14	
Mt. Beulah Circuit	R. H. McDowell	85							2	85	6	6		10	10	10	16		14	60	50				
Newton-Granite Falls	E. A. Williams	164	5						4	165	2		65	18	48	37	41			144	85	19		25	20
Old Fort	John Bowman																								
Shelby Circuit	J. D. Ashford	124	1						2	123				13		40	17		20	90	62	5	34	9	10
Stanley	B. J. Dula	74		1						75	14	29		11		20	20		20	71	60				
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey	102	10						2	111	1		94	16		75	56	48	8	203	104	24		50	10
West Asheville	O. S. Davenport	44							2	42				5		15	6	12		38	25				12
Wilkesboro Circuit	M. S. Laughlin	132	7						3	136	2	28	4	24	12	36	60		40	162	90				
Total		3214	157	6	15	7		3	60	3340	118	143	448	335	251	706	558	250	346	2402	1412	251	289	256	309

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S.—Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets — Western District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS — GENERAL INFORMATION						W. S. C. S.			Methodist Men				PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS			
		Number of Church Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Weekday Schools	Church School Members Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Are Lesson Materials Approved by The Methodist Church	Church School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.	Number of Societies (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Membership (Including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups	Membership	Number "Together" Subscriptions	Number of Organized Churches	Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Bldgs., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses
Asheville	Marshall McCallum	1	75		8		30	1		223		25		1	$ 70,000	$ 15,000	$	$ 3,500
Brooks-Philadelphia	S. B. McBrayer	2	150	27	9			2		25	1	18		2	45,000	10,000		9,800
Catawba-Brown	T. D. McCorkle	2	10		4		25	2	12	225		15		2	4,000	1,000		
Forest City	I. A. Friend	1			13		86	1		186					50,000	15,000		
Franklin	A. E. Robinson							1	10					1	2,500	1,500		
Gastonia-Bessemer	J. T. Jones	2	67		11		31	2	18	138		14	1	2	35,000	15,600		2,518
Hickory-Conover	R. D. Sharpe	2	250	71	18		123	2	83	170	1	20	1	2	89,000			
Kings Mountain	G. W. Patterson	2					40	2	25					2	12,000	3,000		8,000
Lenoir-Warrior	S. L. Townsend	2	220		6		40	2	40	90	1	35	1	2	25,000	15,000		4,000
Lincolnton Circuit	C. O. Hill	3			4		42	3		100	1			3	30,000	500		
Lowesville Circuit	A. W. Stowe	4	14		2		47	4	45	69		41		4	23,000			325
Marion	D. S. Harkness	1					68	1	48	368	1	16		1	40,000	10,000	3,000	
Moorcsville	J. Q. Dula	4	70		30			4	80		1	15		4	35,000	500		2,500
Mt. Holly	B. L. Burge	1	90				30	1	20	142				1	10,000			
Mt. Beulah Circuit	R. H. McDowell	2	1				37	2	21	214	2	22		2	7,000			1,300
Newton-Granite Falls	E. A. Williams	2	107		3			2		97	2	25		2	40,000	14,000	1,600	800
Old Fort	John Bowman																	
Shelby Circuit	J. D. Ashford	2	75				125	1	42	50	1	20		2	20,000	6,000		
Stanley	B. J. Dula	2					40	2		60		10		2	3,000			
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey	2	26					2	110	2,000	2	22		2	37,000	6,000		8,000
West Asheville	O. S. Davenport							1		54				1	20,000			
Wilkesboro Circuit	M. S. Laughlin	2	45		4		40	1	20	300	1	15		2	50,000	6,000		
Total		39	1,200	98	112		804	39	574	4,511	14	313	3	40	$697,500	$119,100	$ 4,600	$ 40,743

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences — Greensboro District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT												Connectional Fund			
						Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimant's Fund					Interdenom. Cooperation Fund	
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) Beg. this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate(s') Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area, Conf. and Dist. Administration	Apportioned	Paid
Basses-Raleigh Cross Road	Eugene Black	$	$ 725	$ 280	$ 275	$ 2,340	$ 2,340	$140	$ 2,480	$1,000	$ 308	$ 308	$ 40	$ 40	$ 300	$ 300	$ 15	$ 93	$ 8	$ 8
Brown Summit Circuit	W. T. Lomax		500	150	75	1,000	1,000		1,000		160	160	18	14	69	46	8	61		
Collins Grove	T. C. Tarpley		1,000			500	500		500	60	50	50		15		72	6	14		4
Cox's Chapel-Shady Grove	C. G. Bynum															8				
Durham	D. E. Moore	200	275			1,000	1,000		1,000	200	102	102		24		180	3	11		3
Empire Circuit	F. D. Morehead			360		900	900		900		135	135		18		50	7	40		8
Greensboro:																				
Browning Chapel	C. C. Armstrong	611	463			1,400	1,400		1,400	600	157	157		28		210	5	23		3
Mt. Tabor	J. W. Shuford	996	710	749	100	800	800	100	900	100	119	119		16		120	3	51		
St. Matthew	J. E. Brower	689	2,125	4,488	890	4,000	4,000	140	4,140	200	565	565	80	80	600	600	18	104	9	9
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster	600		150	200	2,000	2,000		2,000	800	310	310	40	40	300	300	18	65		8
Union Memorial	G. M. Phelps	2,294	365	1,033	200	2,675	2,675	60	2,735	700	320	320	40	40	300	300	15	84		8
Warren St.-Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell	900		982	155	2,082	2,082		2,082	200	300	300	40	40	300	300	15	65		5
Kernersville	W. N. Napper			270	54	950	850		850		149	149	19	19	142	63	9	28		3
Laughlin-Ramseur	J. L. Sellers		25	742	132	1,800	1,800		1,800	200	253	253	38	38	272	272	7	51	8	8
Leaksville	J. S. Corry	425	1,617	1,475	369	2,500	2,500		2,500	516	298	298	50	50	375	375	9	205	8	8
Mt. Zion-Zion Hill	J. H. Minor				30	440	410		410		51	51		9		50	2	16		2
Newport News-Pleasant Ridge	W. S. Berry													15		100	6	39		4
Oxford	L. W. Coltrane	1,068	75	420	229	1,802	1,802		1,802	132	200	200	39	39	290	100	6	62		4
Raleigh	C. L. Gidney															120		64		
Randleman	T. C. Spinks	817	93	49	97	400	330		330	31	47	47	8	8	60	47	3	13		
Reidsville	G. H. Caldwell	768	800	1,020	240	2,600	2,600		2,600	100	384	384	50	50	290	290				
St. James-Summerfield	W. N. Johnson	455		130		550	550	95	645	250	111	111	11	11	83	83	7	93		4
St. Peters	R. M. Martin													9		20				
Wesley Chapel-Chapel Hill	Wm. H. Hairston													25		216	15	40		
Bullock-Townsville	E. J. Jones													14		25	2	15		2
Total		$ 9,823	$ 8,773	$12,298	$3,046	$29,739	$29,539	$535	$30,074	$5,089	$4,019	$4,019	$473	$642	$3,381	$4,247	$181	$1,237	$ 33	$ 101

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences Greensboro District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																		
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	W. S. C. S. (incl. W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Conference Benevolences						Conference Journal	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid								Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advances and Cultivation	Church School Rally Day	Reserve Pension			
Basses-Raleigh Cross Road	Eugene Black	$	$	$ 280	$	$	$	$ 90	$	$	$	$ 197	$	$	$ 260	$ 18	$ 400	$ 15	$ 26	$ 6,810
Brown Summit Circuit	W. T. Lomax			60								53			15		74	8	18	2,242
Collins Grove	T. C. Tarpley			70		2	2		1			40	5		55	5	75	4	10	1,990
Cox's Chapel-Shady Grove	C. G. Bynum											34			11		35		3	91
Durham	D. E. Moore			20		3		18	3	1	17	38			16	5	25	5	5	2,154
Empire Circuit	F. D. Morehead			65		4	7				6	64			23	14	77	12	15	1,805
Greensboro:																				
Browning Chapel	C. C. Armstrong			90			5					51			124	5	175	6	10	3,966
Mt. Tabor	J. W. Shuford			77		5	15	20	5		5	55			70	5	175	5		4,301
St. Matthew	J. E. Brower	790	790	790		20	10	275	8	3	10	415	10		400	20	934	20	29	16,852
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster			280						3		127			178	18	323	15	21	5,456
Union Memorial	G. M. Phelps			280			7	70			5	158			257	15	400	14	19	9,319
Warren St.-Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell			228					8		5	135	20		150	15	400	15	21	6,041
Kernersville	W. N. Napper			100				51	4		4	62			90	10	102	7	8	1,883
Laughlin-Ramseur	J. L. Sellers			190					10			93	10		172	15	208	12	18	4,256
Leaksville	J. S. Corry	280	280	280		10	9	78	11	20	25	175	62		211	14	400	13	29	9,184
Mt. Zion-Zion Hill	J. H. Minor			15								43			25	5	43	8	7	716
Newport News-Pleasant Ridge	W. S. Berry			66											75	10	53	10	11	389
Oxford	L. W. Coltrane			50		17		104	3		10	62			30	11		6	3	4,433
Raleigh	C. L. Gidney			246								75			160		129			794
Randleman	T. C. Spinks	38	38	10			3					32			10		50	5		1,645
Reidsville	G. H. Caldwell			200					10			70			45		150		22	7,017
St. James-Summerfield	W. N. Johnson	75	75	75								58	6		74	8	25	8	10	2,063
St. Peters	R. M. Martin			38											32	2	75	5	7	188
Wesley Chapel-Chapel Hill	Wm. H. Hairston			190							6	81			67	15	170	14	18	667
Bullock-Townsville	E. J. Jones			70								25			7	2	40	4		206
Total		$1,183	$1,183	$3,770	$	$ 61	$ 58	$ 706	$ 63	$ 27	93	$2,151	$ 113	$	$2,557	$ 212	$4,538	$ 211	$ 310	$ 94,468

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences — Laurinburg District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT												Connectional Fund			
						Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimant's Fund				Interdenom. Cooperation Fund	
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) Beg. this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate's(s') Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area Conf. and Dist. Administration	Apportioned	Paid
Bolton	E. M. McLeod	$	$ 175	$ 85	$ 30	$ 700	$ 690	$	$ 690	$	$ 70	$ 70	$	$ 4	$	$ 25	$	$	$	$
Charlotte	C. E. Strickland		47,600	1,000	100	3,640	3,640	40	3,680	200	400	400		72		500	20	65		6
Fairmont	Walter Davis			12	28	184	184		184		50	50		2		15				
Fayetteville	R. B. McRae	1,400	7,000	600	350	3,900	3,900		3,900	200	390	390		35		400		79		
Goldsboro	O. M. Graham	365	136	62	38	1,000	675		675	200	70	70				100		10		
Hamlet	D. M. McLean	500	2,000	840	100	2,500	2,500		2,500	500	425	485	60	60	460	460		23		
Hickory Bend-St. Peters	A. H. Douglas						583		583		270	270		5		25		9		
Hoffman-Miller	John McEachin	675	125	127	38	695	643				104	104		17		80		8		
John Station-Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum		560	86			1,800		1,800		280	280		40		142	5	104		2
Laurinburg	G. E. Hogue	661	3,300	136	98	3,200	3,200		3,200	20	470	470		37		393		26		
Laurinburg Circuit	Miles Murphy				402	2,250	2,250		2,250		240	240				100		13		
Lumberton-Beauty Spot	J. W. Ferree	1,603	3,172	1,385	247	3,400	3,400		3,400	660	545	545	63	48	510	315	5	37		
Maxton	J. S. Mills		400	250	100	2,600	2,600		2,600		314	314	48	10	350	81		15		
New Zion-Mt. Zion	B. F. Gleaves																			
Pembroke	E. C. Campbell			75		360	400		400		36	36		6		45		9		
Philadelphia	D. C. Skeen													5		10				
Red Springs	F. F. McCallum					2,400	2,400		2,400		280	280		15		50		10		
Rowland-Salem	J. F. Sawyer		150	458	280	2,000	2,000		2,000	90	280	280		20		196		5		
Saint Marks	M. W. Cooper																			
Sanford Circuit	A. H. Douglas						600		600		270	270		20		82		18		
Wilmington	J. H. Shiver		225		25		110		110		28	28		9		15		5		
Total		$ 5,204	$64,243	$ 4,116	$1,736	$25,189	$27,935	$ 40	$27,292	$1,670	$4,122	$4,122	$171	$405	$1,320	$3,034	$ 30	$ 436	$	$ 8

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Bolton	E. M. McLeod	$	$	$ 15	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 10	$	$	$ 10	$	$	$	$ 1	$ 1,115
Charlotte	C. E. Strickland	300	200	210			20					187			70		225	18	5	54,372
Fairmont	Walter Davis			20											5			4	3	323
Fayetteville	R. B. McRae			200				102				55			100			18		14,829
Goldsboro	O. M. Graham			22													15			1,693
Hamlet	D. M. McLean			350		8	5		5	2	5	85		5	150	5	160	15	2	8,265
Hickory Bend-St. Peters	A. H. Douglas			20								7							1	920
Hoffman-Miller	John McEachin			20			3					22			21	11		1	8	1,263
John Station-Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum			111			5			3	6	78			85	10	71		2	3,390
Laurinburg	G. E. Hogue			140			6		4			85		5	100	15			15	8,651
Laurinburg Circuit	Miles Murphy			115			2				2	104			20	2	35	9	4	3,298
Lumberton-Beauty Spot	J. W. Ferree			250								119			85	10	100	16	15	12,012
Maxton	J. S. Mills			50								12						8	9	3,849
New Zion-Mt. Zion	B. F. Gleaves			50																50
Pembroke	E. C. Campbell			25								22			10			6	8	642
Philadelphia	D. C. Skeen			10		8						11							1	45
Red Springs	F. F. McCallum			60								12			50		10	14	10	2,911
Rowland-Salem	J. F. Sawyer			100			5					72			15		25		3	3,699
Saint Marks	M. W. Cooper																			.....
Sanford Circuit	A. H. Douglas			60								30			60				7	1,147
Wilmington	J. H. Shiver			10		6		15				13			10		10	5	1	487
Total		$ 300	$ 200	$1,838	$	$ 22	$ 46	$ 117	$ 9	$ 5	$ 13	$ 924	$ 10	$	$ 791	$ 53	$ 651	$ 114	$ 95	$122,961

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Asheville	Marshall McCallum	$ 1,583	$	$ 1,289	$ 243	$ 3,120	$ 3,120	$	$ 3,120	$ 250	$ 335	$ 335	$ 63	$ 63	$ 468	$ 468	$ 10	$ 80	$ 10	$ 10
Brooks-Philadelphia	S. B. McBrayer	1,296		198	115	1,800	1,800		1,800	150	234	234		20		50				
Catawba Circuit	T. D. McCorkle		200	100	75	500	500		500		90	90		5		37	2	18		2
Forest City-Union Mills	T. A. Friend	36	694	320	70	2,700	2,366	60	2,426					40		300	11			
Franklin	A. E. Robinson			15		300	300		300		36	18	6	6	45	25		9		
Gastonia-Bessemer	J. T. Jones	300	250	250	161	2,434	2,374		2,374		285	285	52	52	362	312		50		8
Hickory-Conover	R. D. Sharpe	14,793	12,335	926	170	3,320	3,320		3,407		425	425		62		300		55		
Kings Mtn. Circuit	G. W. Patterson													18		150		56		
Lenoir-Warrior	S. L. Townsend	2,000	800	350	300	3,500	3,500		3,000		402	402		45		300	10	42		10
Lincolnton Circuit	C. O. Hill	340			110	1,000	1,000		1,000		200	200		18		150		58		6
Lowesville Circuit	A. W. Stowe	125		173	87	2,600	2,600		250		275	275	52	36	390	270	8	54		8
Marion	D. S. Harkness		1,367	462	65	2,000	1,800		1,800		1,300	300		30		300		50		8
Mooresville Circuit	J. Q. Dula	525	139	275	189	2,100	1,969		1,969	67	200	200	42	42	321	236		20		
Mt. Beulah-Motts Grove	R. H. McDowell																			
Mt. Holly	B. L. Burge	125		206	278	800	800		150	50	150	150		16		120	5	37		4
Newton-Granite Falls	Esau A. Williams	800		767	90	2,000	2,000		2,000	65	266	266				259	8	90		8
Old Fort	J. L. Bowman																			
Shelby Circuit	J. D. Ashford		186		278	2,392	2,392		2,392		220	220	52	52	312	312		16		
Stanley-St. Paul	B. J. Dula					900	900		900	125	125			15		200	5	24		4
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey	2,919		594	100	1,040	1,040				140	140		15		180		49		2
West Asheville	O. S. Davenport		400	138	28									10		75		13		
Wilkesboro-Philadelphia	M. S. Laughlin			126	60	1,810	1,680		1,680	50	222	197				127		46		
Total		$24,842	$16,371	$ 6,189	$2,419	$34,316	$33,481	$ 60	$29,068	$ 757	$3,905	$3,737	$267	$545	$1,898	$4,171	$ 59	$ 767	$ 10	$ 70

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences — Western District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																		
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	W. S. C. S. (incl. W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Conference Benevolences						Conference Journal	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid								Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advances and Cultivation	Church School Rally Day	Reserve Pension			
Asheville	Marshall McCallum	$ 300	$ 300	$ 300	$ 20	$ 19	$ 10	$ 133	$ 12	$ 60	$ 18	$ 90	$ 48	$ ...	$ 208	$ 15	$ 375	$ 15	$	$ 8,774
Brooks-Philadelphia	S. B. McBrayer			50								50					25	10	9	4,007
Catawba Circuit	T. D. McCorkle			100								30			32		71	8	14	1,284
Forest City-Union Mills	T. A. Friend			86								55	32		75			15	37	4,197
Franklin	A. E. Robinson			15								12			12		25	2	6	430
Gastonia-Bessemer	J. T. Jones	190	190	190		5	5	40	10	10	5	55	23		95		125	10		4,358
Hickory-Conover	R. D. Sharpe			250								129			200		300	15	12	32,996
Kings Mtn. Circuit	G. W. Patterson			100								58	12		35			10	20	459
Lenoir-Warrior	S. L. Townsend			250		10	10	56				110			25	15		15	300	8,050
Lincolnton Circuit	C. O. Hill			100								38			60		57	10	18	2,165
Lowesville Circuit	A. W. Stowe	250	250	345		8	10	10	10	10	10	74	25		30	12	271	10		2,111
Marion	D. S. Harkness			150				45			22	64			75		75	10	20	4,843
Mooresville Circuit	J. Q. Dula	165	165	165			11					50			75	9	168			4,140
Mt. Beulah-Motts Grove	R. H. McDowell																			
Mt. Holly	B. L. Burge			110								51	2		25		60		14	1,408
Newton-Granite Falls	Esau A. Williams			196			7					84			160		326	10	28	5,164
Old Fort	J. L. Bowman											5						1		6
Shelby Circuit	J. D. Ashford			118		6						12			35	8	155			3,790
Stanley-St. Paul	B. J. Dula			100							6	30	11		45	5	90	6	18	2,048
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey			285								110					206	10	14	4,624
West Asheville	O. S. Davenport											7						4	4	679
Wilkesboro-Philadelphia	M. S. Laughlin											37			30		124	5	4	2,486
Total		$ 905	$ 905	$2,895	$ 20	$ 48	$ 53	$ 284	$ 32	$ 80	$ 61	$1,161	$ 153	$	$1,217	$ 64	$2,453	$ 166	$ 518	$ 98,019

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences — Winston District

Charge and Church	Name of Pastor	Expenditures for Local Church: Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Ministerial Support: Pastors and Associate Pastors: Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) Beg. this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate's, Travel and Expense Funds	District Superintendent's Fund: Apportioned	Paid	Episcopal Fund: Apportioned	Paid	Conference Claimant's Fund: Apportioned	Paid	Connectional Fund: General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area Conf. and Dist. Administration	Interdenom. Cooperation Fund: Apportioned	Paid
Advance	H. A. Smith	$ ...	$ 1,580	$ 175	$ 18	$ 550	$ 552	$ ...	$ 552	$ ...	$ 102	$ 102	$ 11	$ 11	$ 83	$ 83	$ 3	$ 15	$ ...	$ 3
Asheboro-St. Mark	O. W. Burwick	939	142	536	182	3,213	3,213	...	3,213	...	388	388	53	53	467	172	2	22	10	1
Elkin-Jonesville	J. B. Bethea	5,811	1,322	1,418	212	1,700	1,700	...	1,700	...	229	229	34	34	255	255	10	181	10	10
High Point:																				
Brooks Memorial	W. S. McLeod	2,019	620	2,020	325	3,250	3,250	...	3,250	...	483	483	62	62	...	200	10	92	...	...
St. Mark	J. J. Patterson	450	1,398	2,476	...	3,380	3,380	...	3,380	230	491	491	67	67	507	507	15	146	12	12
Lexington-Midway	G. A. Brooks	720	25,000	1,200	180	2,700	2,700	...	2,700	300	270	270	54	54	405	405	12	12	...	...
Madison Circuit	B. W. Stewart	...	460	64	38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	143	143	10	112	...	...
Mitchell	E. J. Jones	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	20	3	3	22	22	2	16	1	1
Mt. Airy-Jonesville-Walkerstown	L. B. Eldridge	...	865	32	...	1,575	1,246	...	1,246	...	217	217	...	...	...	100	6	31	...	...
Oak Grove	Otto Withers	282	...	200	60	600	563	...	563	35	78	78	...	10	...	75	2	15	...	...
Pen Hook Circuit	Buford Miller	...	394	...	...	950	854	...	854	...	96	96	...	...	...	24	5	21	5	5
Pilot Mtn.-Rural Hall Ct.	P. G. Carter	2,000	1,135	776	258	1,500	1,500	...	1,500	...	198	198	30	30	220	220	8	...	5	5
Thomasville:																				
St. John	W. J. Cameron	3,500	600	1,800	175	2,700	2,700	...	2,700	104	300	300	...	50	...	300	10	30	...	...
Hoovers Chapel	J. W. Jones	1,620	550	508	291	1,700	1,700	...	1,700	660	224	224	...	25	...	100	7	72	6	6
Trinity Circuit	W. P. Cole	...	...	63	137	1,500	1,500	...	1,500	...	174	174	...	20	...	150	6	26	5	5
Winston-Salem:																				
Mt. Pleasant	W. R. Crawford	1,500	1,000	450	135	2,400	2,400	...	2,400	...	243	243	...	48	...	360	8	43	5	5
St. Andrews-Walnut Cove	J. W. Gwyn	7,750	285	1,740	270	3,700	3,450	...	3,450	70	484	484	...	45	...	330	12	67	...	...
St. Homes	R. F. McCallum	1,590	...	13,229	120	2,730	2,730	...	2,730	100	286	286	...	35	...	255	8	74	...	...
St. Paul	L. M. Mayfield	...	1,161	2,020	172	3,600	3,600	...	3,600	225	507	507	72	72	540	540	15	136	15	15
Total		$28,181	$36,052	$28,443	$2,535	$37,748	$37,038	$ ...	$35,338	$1,724	$4,770	$4,770	$386	$654	$2,642	$4,241	$151	$1,111	$ 74	$ 68

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		World Service and Conf. Benevolences										Conference Benevolences								
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Advance	H. A. Smith	$ 75	$ 75	$ 75	$ ...	$ 6	$ 7	$ ...	$ ...	$ ...	$ ...	$ 31	$ ...	$ ...	$ 50	$ 6	$ 200	$ 8	$ 48	$ 2,973
Asheboro-St. Mark	O. W. Burwick	225	...	196	...	10	23	155	...	3	...	89	...	...	56	...	182	12	3	6,379
Elkin-Jonesville	J. B. Bethea	175	175	175	...	5	10	40	10	...	15	86	...	...	240	15	292	15	...	12,085
High Point:																				
Brooks Memorial	W. S. McLeod	260	260	260	...	8	9	...	8	...	8	80	...	...	...	...	350	13	...	9,817
St. Mark	J. J. Patterson	450	450	450	...	5	...	...	8	15	5	190	...	...	320	15	302	...	66	10,548
Lexington-Midway	G. A. Brooks	225	225	225	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75	...	...	25	16	100	...	100	31,394
Madison Circuit	B. W. Stewart	225	225	225	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	114	...	...	250	...	200	...	6	1,664
Mitchell	E. J. Jones	15	15	15	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	12	...	6	...	1	112
Mt. Airy-Jonesville-Walkerstown	L. B. Eldridge	100	100	100	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	30	...	...	63	13	90	8	6	2,817
Oak Grove	Otto Withers	...	...	20	...	...	5	42	4	...	5	27	2	...	31	6	35	6	95	1,598
Pen Hook Circuit	Buford Miller	50	50	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	50	7	143	12	12	1,723
Pilot Mtn.-Rural Hall Ct.	P. G. Carter	180	180	163	...	11	11	37	...	...	11	87	...	...	130	14	136	12	54	6,796
Thomasville:																				
St. John	W. J. Cameron	225	225	225	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	105	...	...	175	...	387	15	...	10,475
Hoovers Chapel	J. W. Jones	...	...	125	...	10	5	39	10	3	10	78	...	...	100	10	180	12	...	6,345
Trinity Circuit	W. P. Cole	175	...	110	...	3	...	...	...	...	15	71	...	...	...	11	273	10	40	2,614
Winston-Salem:																				
Mt. Pleasant	W. R. Crawford	175	175	175	...	...	14	50	...	...	13	94	...	...	50	15	166	15	123	6,907
St. Andrews-Walnut Cove	J. W. Gwyn	375	...	175	...	...	...	143	...	...	...	133	...	...	200	8	145	20	...	15,327
St. Homes	R. F. McCallum	225	...	200	...	5	6	...	5	...	...	89	...	...	205	15	275	12	...	19,239
St. Paul	L. M. Mayfield	750	750	750	...	10	18	327	7	...	7	302	20	...	500	30	1,400	20	100	11,954
Total		$3,905	$2,905	$3,714	$ ...	$ 73	$ 121	$ 833	$ 52	$ 28	$ 97	$1,742	$ 22	$ ...	$2,457	$ 181	$4,853	$ 190	$ 654	$158,285

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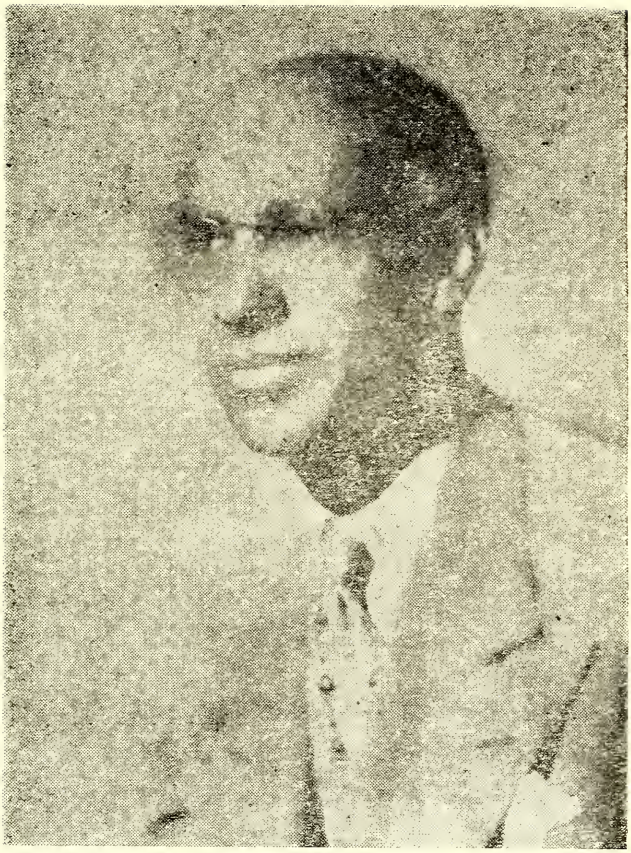

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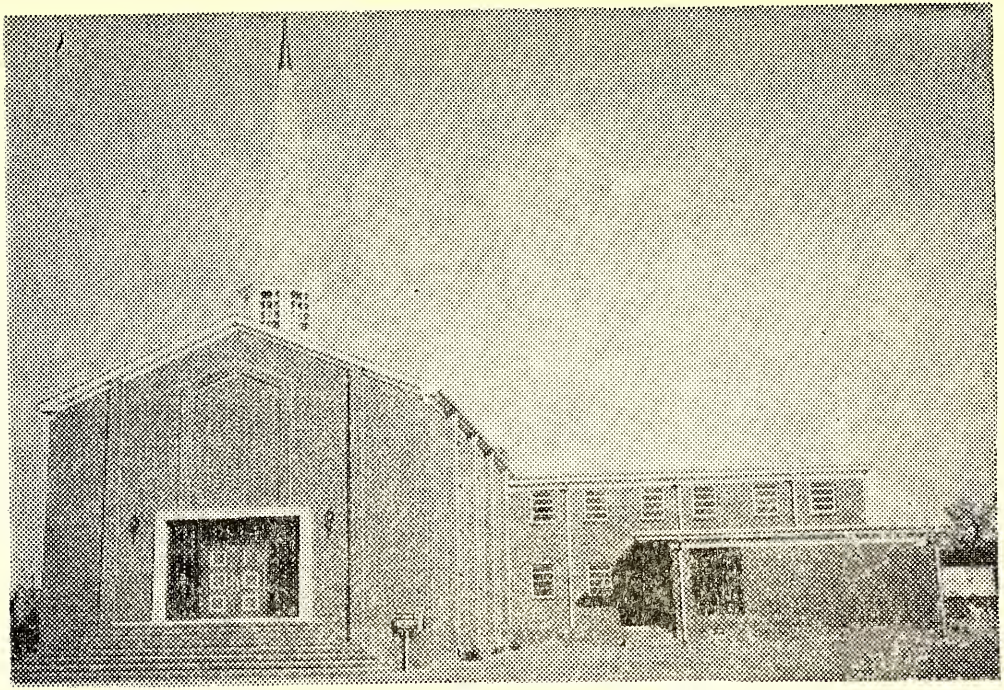

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THURSDAY MORNING SESSION, JUNE 4, 1959

9:00 A.M.

HOLY COMMUNION SERVICE: Bishop Love, presiding, assisted by the District Superintendents. Message by Bishop Love: John 12:23-27—"The Glory of This Hour." Mission offering: $136.60.

10:30 A.M.

Roll Call—Ministers and Lay Members.
Assistant Secretaries appointed: John G. Corry, J. W. Ferree.
Assistant Treasurers appointed: Harry Smith, J. W. Jones.
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Public Relations and Methodist Information—D. S. Harkness, chairman.
Precentor: J. T. Jones.
Organist: J. H. McCallum

MOTION, by R. C. Erwin, "that the printed program be adopted; Motion adopted.

MOTION, by D. S. Harkness, "that following the report of the Committee on Ministerial Training and Qualifications that we begin balloting for delegates to the General and Jurisdictional Conferences. Motion passed.

Conference approved G. E. Hogue to be fraternal delegate to the North Carolina Conference, Southeastern Jurisdiction, to convene in Wilmington, N. C. in July.

Marshall McCallum was appointed to represent the conference at the Western North Carolina Conference, to be held in Asheville, in June.

C. M. Winchester was named Director Wills and Education.

The Committee on Courtesy presented the following visitors: Mrs. E. A. Love, Dr. M. L. Harris, President, Philander Smith College, I. G. Simpson, and C. E. Queen, Washington Conference; W. C. Burgan, Asheville, N. C., Kelly Jackson, District Supt., Washington Conference; W. C. Erwin, Retired minister, Washington Conference; C. R. Coleman, A. M. E. Zion Church, Fayetteville; J. W. Curry, Dist. Supt., Florence Dist., South Carolina Conference; L. Scott Allen, Editor, Central Christian Advocate; Mrs. Mozell Dodd, Pilot Mountain, N. C.

Dr. L. S. Allen presented check from the Publishing House in the amount of 1272.85. Motion by C. M. Winchester that the check be accepted. Motion passed.

Announcements

11:15 A.M.

Memorial Service; John G. Corry, presiding. Prayer by A. E. Robinson. Those commemorated were: Rev. R. W. Winchester, Rev. S. B. McBrayer, Rev. B. F. Gleaves, Rev. J. H. Ledwell, Mrs. P. I. Wells, Mrs. R. D. Sharpe. O. M. Graham delivered the message on "God's Honor Roll of Faith."

THURSDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, JUNE 4, 1959

2:15 P.M.

Devotions: J. H. McCallum, presiding. Prayer by W. A. Stowe.

BUSINESS SESSION: Bishop Love, presiding.

Report by Committee on Ministerial Training and Qualifications given by G. H. Caldwell. Report adopted.

Balloting was begun for election of delegates to the General and Jurisdictional Conferences. General Conference Lay Delegate elected was C. M. Winchester; Jurisdictional Conference Lay Delegate was R. C. Erwin; Reserve Delegate elected was C. A. Barrett.

Ministerial delegate elected to the General Conference was L. A. Brown.

Reports were given by the District Superintendents (see reports). Reports adopted.

Dr. Harrison, former President of High Point College, spoke of his interest in helping a worthy student through seminary training. He spoke highly of Brother W. S. McLeod, and of his leadership in High Point.

MOTION, by C. A. Barrett, that we send messages to all sick members of the conference. Motion passed.

Committee on Nominations brought in report of members comprising the Committee on General Conference Memorials (see committees).

Dr. Dennis Fletcher, Delaware Conference, and Director of Church Extension, Board of Home Missions, spoke on ways in which his Board helps the local church.

Rev. D. L. Ridout was presented, at which time he asked for subscriptions to THE MESSENGER.

Rev. T. Elliott was presented to the conference.

MOTION, by D. E. Moore, that a letter of congratulations be sent to John Morrow, on his appointment as first Ambassador to Guinea.

THURSDAY EVENING SESSION, JUNE 4, 1959

7:30 P.M.

Anniversary of the Board of Education; J. B. Bethea, presiding. Prayer by J. B. Bethea. Greetings were brought by the Conference Board of Education chairman, C. A. Barrett.

Bennett College in Charge: Rev. John L. Bryan, presiding. Several musical selections were rendered by the choir. Rev. Bryan brought greetings on behalf of the college, followed by more selections from the choir. D. E. Moore made a brief report concerning the Wesley Foundations at A. and T. College and North Carolina College. Offering received was $52.10.

9:00 P.M.

Anniversary of Social and Economic Relations, and Board of Evangelism; J. T. Jones, presiding. An address on Evangelism was given by J. T. Jones.

Benediction

FRIDAY MORNING SESSION, JUNE 5, 1959

9:00 A.M.

Devotions: C. G. Bynum, presiding. Prayer C. G. Bynum.

BUSINESS SESSION:

Report on the Journal given by O. W. Burwick and found to be in order, Report accepted.

Ennis W. Whaley was transferred from the North Carolina Conference to the Lexington Conference as of June 6, 1959.

MOTION, by C. M. Winchester, that the Conference Board of Lay Activities present their report on Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock, instead of on Saturday afternoon as printed in the program. Motion passed.

R. B. McRae was elected as the delegate to the Jurisdictional Conference by a vote of 35. L. M. Mayfield received 19 votes. L. M. Mayfield was elected by unanimous vote as the reserve delegate to the Jurisdictional Conference. W. R. Crawford cast the vote for the conference.

Resolution by R. C. Sharpe (see resolutions) to rescind the vote taken at the conference last year to hold the future sessions of the Annual Conference at Bennett College. Resolution adopted, by a vote of 72 to 34.

The report was given by the Commission on World Service and Finance (see reports). The conference deleted item C of the report, after which the report was adopted.

MOTION, by C. A. Barrett, that Church School Rally Day be held on September 27, 1959. Motion passed.

Bishop Love announced an Executive session with all the ministers to be held Saturday morning at 8 o'clock.

A special report was given by D. L. Ridout concerning a group insurance plan for ministers and full time lay employees of the church. A representative from Metropolitan Life Insurance Company presented an explanation of the plan. The group insurance plan was adopted by the conference.

Dr. O. L. Hathaway, fraternal delegate from the North Carolina Conference, Southeastern Jurisdiction, brought greetings on behalf of that conference.

NOON MESSAGE HOUR: J. B. Bethea, presiding. Prayer, W. E. Tyler. Miles Murphy brought the message. He used as a subject: "Life's Supreme Must."

FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, JUNE 5, 1959

2:30 P.M.

BUSINESS SESSION:

Devotions: J. T. Jones, presiding.

The report of the Executive Secretary was given (see reports), by D. E. Moore.

Comments were given on the Conference Journal by the Secretary, W. R. Crawford. It was pointed out that money for the Journal is somewhat slow. It was decided that we print the same number as in previous years.

R. C. Erwin reminded the Secretary that a bound copy of the Journals be prepared and presented at the Jurisdictional Conference.

John G. Corry gave his report on the Wesley Foundation at A. and T. College. D. E. Moore gave his concerning North Carolina College. (See reports).

Invitations for the Annual Conference of 1960 were extended by G. E. Hogue and D. E. Moore. The conference voted to hold the next session of the Annual Conference at Asbury Temple, Durham, North Carolina.

The following visitors were presented: Dr. T. B. Echols, of the Board of Pensions; Warren Jenkins, John W. Heyward, Washington Kerns, B. C. Rouse, Edward Jenkins, all of the South Carolina Conference.

MOTION, by R. C. Erwin, that each district be authorized to hold a district conference at the call of the respective District Superintendents. Motion passed.

MOTION, by R. C. Erwin, that the nomination by the Board of Lay activities of C. M. Winchester as Conference Lay Leader be confirmed. Motion passed.

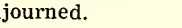
3:30 P.M.

Board of Lay Activities in charge: C. M. Winchester, presiding.
Report by this board was given by C. M. Winchester (see reports).

C. M. Winchester gave a presentation concerning wills.

Dave Reid was presented as a visitor.

Afternoon session was adjourned.



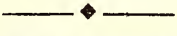
FRIDAY EVENING SESSION, JUNE 5, 1959

7:30 P.M.

Anniversary of the Board of Missions: W. E. Hairston, presiding.
Prayer by J. H. McCallum. Dr. D. R. Fletcher, Board of Home Missions, gave an address concerning church extension. An offering of $48.49 was received.

Bishop and Mrs. Love related their experiences in Africa, after which film strips on Africa were shown.

Benediction



SATURDAY MORNING SESSION, JUNE 6, 1959

9:30 A.M.

Devotions: A. E. Robinson, presiding. Prayer by E. A. Williams.

BUSINESS SESSION: Bishop Love, presiding.

Report by the Committee on the Journal was given by O. W. Burwick. Report approved.

Report from Committee on General Conference Memorials, given by R. C. Erwin (see reports). Discussion of the Methodist Federation of Social Action (Unofficial) received serious consideration. After due consideration, the Conference voted no-conformity toward a resolution from the New York Conference (see resolutions).

Report of the Treasurer given by J. W. Gwyn. The report was received until it could be audited.

MOTION, by C. M. Winchester that an account be printed in the Journal covering the period from June 9 to September, 1958. Motion passed.

Report was given by the Statistician, J. J. Patterson (see reports). Report was adopted with appreciation to Bro. Patterson for the report.

MOTION, by L. A. Brown, that supply pastors be included in the service records of our Journal. Motion passed.

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, that the premiums of the group insurance covering the ministers and full time lay employees of the North Carolina Conference be also apportioned and reported at Bennett College Roll Call. Motion passed.

Mrs. W. P. Cole spoke in interest of the National Fellowship of Musicians, pointing out its objectives and urging that each district promote the program.

Ministers' Wives Program: Mrs. S. L. Townsend, presiding.

Mrs. R. W. Winchester presented corsages to the wives of all retired and deceased ministers. Mrs. J. C. Rush was the speaker. Her subject was: "God's Heir is Jesus Christ—Meet Him."

The Financial report by districts is as follows:

Greensboro District	$1385.00
Laurinburg District	472.00
Western District	1298.00
Winston District	1607.00
Total	$4762.00

Announcements

Adjournment of morning session.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION, JUNE 6, 1959

2:30 P.M.

Devotions: J. T. Jones, presiding.

BUSINESS SESSION:

Samuel E. Nesmith was received on trial.

Report of the Board of Missions (see reports). Report was adopted. Dr. T. B. Echols of the General Board of Missions gave an address. A resolutions from the Board of Pensions (see resolutions) was adopted.

MOTION, by R. C. Sharpe, that a period of two months be designated as Reserve Pension cultivation period, during which time intensive effort shall be made to acquaint and stimulate interest in the Reserve Pension Fund. Motion passed.

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, that the Conference give a Certificate of Merit to every charge or church which raises seventy-five per cent of its total apportionments. Motion passed.

W. J. Cameron was elected as Conference Secretary of Missions.

The Conference voted to request the General Board of Missions to include John Wesley and Galilee Churchs in the General Advance Specials.

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, that a campaign be put on within the bounds of the Conference for the Cultivation Fund in the fall. Motion passed.

C. M. Winchester named the following persons as District Directors of Wills:

Greensboro ..... Hugh H. Crawford
Laurinburg ..... Clarence Francis
Western ..... Mrs. Jettie Morrison
Winston ..... R. C. Erwin

MOTION, by J. E. Brower, that after the reading of the appointments on Sunday, and after approving the Journal without reading, that the Conference stand adjourned without date. Motion passed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Street were presented as visitors.

The Woman's Society presented an interesting and inspiring service.
Announcements.
Adjournment.

SUNDAY MORNING SESSION, JUNE 7, 1959

10:30 A.M.

LOVE FEAST: Conducted by W. T. Lomax and B. L. Burge.
ORDINATION SERVICE: Conducted by Bishop Love and the District Superintendents.
DEACONS: Samuel NeSmith, Charles Elwood Tyson.
ELDERS: L. Blake Eldridge, Harry Alexander Smith, Theodore Powell, Isaac Cloye Spinks.
WORSHIP SERVICE: R. B. McRae, Presiding.
MUSIC: Combined choirs of John Wesley Methodist Church.
MORNING OFFERING: $521.61
SERMON: Bishop Love.
SUBJECT: "Watchman How Much Of The Night"
REPORT, COMMITTEE On Resolutions, C. L. Gidney (See Reports)
APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEES: Nominations; O. W. Burwick, acting chairman; R. C. Erwin, Glenn A. Brooks, W. R. Crawford, John Corry, Mrs. Jettie Morrison, Clarence Winchester, G. H. Caldwell, Sr., and L. A. Brown.

COMMITTEE ON THE CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OF THE EMANCIPATION: Clinton C. Armstrong, J. E. Brower, G. H. Caldwell, G. M. Phelps, Chairman; Marshall McCallum, Western District; R. B. McRae, Laurinburg District; L. M. Mayfield, Winston District.
READING OF THE APPOINTMENTS, by Bishop Love.
Benediction

In Memoriam

1959

MINISTERS

R. W. WINCHESTER
S. B. McBRAYER
B. F. GLEAVES
J. H. LEDWELL

MINISTERS' WIVES

MRS. P. I. WELLS
MRS. R. D. SHARPE

A RESOLUTION

Whereas the holding of the Annual Conference in a given place helps the local church or institution in many ways; inspirationally, informationally and materially, and in many instances the fact that the Conference in honoring a local church by accepting its invitation also helps in many cases the pastor and officers to be able to get the much needed repairs and building done for the entertainment of the Conference that would not otherwise be done at that time.

The inspiration that the coming of a Bishop always brings, the coming of General Officers along with the members and friends of the Conference will give the young people and many others of the church and community an opportunity to see the Bishop, representatives of the General Boards, their own pastor and delegates in action, thereby receiving inspiration and information which will help them in building their own characters and in developing their own Christian lives.

The Conference will help a struggling church to lift itself out of the role of a struggler to a self-sustaining church. It also gives many people an opportunity to share in this Christian fellowship who would never get to the college for a Conference.

Therefore, we offer this resolution to rescind the action of the Conference in 1958 making Bennett College the permanent seat of the North Carolina Annual Conference, therefore giving the local churches and Bennett College the opportunity of extending to the Conference an invitation, and the Conference the opportunity of deciding where it can be of the greatest help in building the Kingdom of God, instead of seeking personal comfort.

Mr. Chairman, I move its adoption!

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RESOLUTIONS OF THANKS

Whereas, it has been our privilege and pleasure to have held this, the 101st session of the North Carolina Annual Conference Central Jurisdiction in John Wesley Methodist Church, a most beautiful sanctuary situated in a thriving city—Fayetteville;

Whereas, many persons have cooperated to make our stay here both pleasant and profitable;

Resolved, that we extend to the pastor, the Reverend R. B. McRae, our highest commendations and most sincere thanks for his untiring efforts and eminent success in the entertainment of our conference; his far-sightedness and patience will not soon be forgotten;

We thank, especially our Bishop, Edgar A. Love, for his wonderful leadership and untiring patience in conducting the session with poise and dignity and for the information and inspiration he and his lovely wife, Mrs. Love, have given us;

Resolved, that we thank each organization, officer, member and friend who has rendered service through reports, inspirational addresses and sermons, or for opening their homes for our comfortable entertainment;

Resolved, that we thank the choirs and the soloists for the rendition of such beautiful music;

Resolved, that the entire entertainment has been superb;

Resolved finally, that we pray God's richest blessings upon each person who attended the great conference and aided in making it a grand success.

Respectfully submitted,

The Committee on Resolutions

A RESOLUTION FROM THE BOARD OF PENSIONS JUNE 6, 1959

Bishop Love and members of the North Carolina Conference, your Conference Board of Pensions met and considered the problems of our conference qualifying for participation in the Reserve Pension Plan of the Methodist Church. We, after due consideration, wish to submit the following recommendations for your consideration:

1. That the months be designed as Reserve Pension cultivation period. During this time intensive effort shall be made to acquaint and stimulate interest in the Reserve Pension Plan.

2. That the period for raising the necessary amount to qualify for participation in the Reserve Pension Plan be extended another conference year, and that adequate planning be done to complete this effort during this period. We urge all charges and individuals to bring their over-due assessment up to date. Our goal is to qualify for membership in the Methodist Reserve Pension Plan in 1960 during the present quaderennium.

3. That every charge be urged to pay an amount equaling 15% of the pastor's cash salary in full. And also to pay any back assessment. Your Retired preachers and widows are in desperate need of these funds.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

THE BUSINESS OF THE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Minutes of the North Carolina (Central Jurisdiction) Annual Conference held in John Wesley Methodist Church, Fayetteville, N. C. from June 4th, 1959, through June 7th, 1959. Bishop Edgar A. Love, Baltimore Area, presiding. Organized February 8th, 1837. 101st Session.

PART I. ORGANIZATION AND GENERAL BUSINESS

1. Who are elected for the quadrennium: Secretary? William R. Crawford, 1701 Shadymount Avenue, Winston-Salem, N. C. Statistician? J. J. Patterson, 755 Washington Street, High Point, N. C. Treasurer? J. W. Gwyn, 1815 E. 4th Street, Winston-Salem, N. C.
2. Is the Annual Conference incorporated? Yes.
3. Bonding and auditing:
   a) What officers handling funds of the conference have been bonded, and in what amounts? J. W. Gwyn, Conference Treasurer, $10,000.00; J. E. Brower, $1,000.00, Treasurer of Trustees.
   b) Have the books of said officers been audited? Yes.
4. Have the conference boards, commissions, and committees been appointed or elected?
   a) Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications? Yes.
   b) Committee on Conference Relations? Yes.
   c) District Committees on Ministerial Qualifications? Yes.
   d) Committee of Investigation? Yes.
   e) District Boards of Church Location and Building? Yes.
   f) Board of Trustees of the Annual Conference? Yes.
   g) Commission on World Service and Finance? Yes.
   h) Commission on Town and Country Work? Yes.
   i) Deaconess Board? Yes.
   j) Board of Missions? Yes.
   k) Board of Education? Yes.
   l) Board of Temperance? Yes.
   m) Board of Lay Activities? Yes.
   n) Board of Hospitals and Homes? Yes.
   o) Board of Evangelism? Yes.
   p) Board of Pensions? Yes.

q) Commission on Christian Vocations? Yes.
r) Conference Woman's Society of Christian Service? Yes.
s) Commission on Minimum Salaries? Yes.
t) Commission on Promotion and Cultivation? Yes.
u) Committee on Reserve Pensions? Yes.
v) Quadrennial Committee on Local-Church Goals? Yes.
w) Optional commissions and committees? Yes.

5. Have the secretaries, treasurers, and statisticians kept their respective records upon and according to the forms prescribed by The Methodist Church? Yes.
6. What is the report of the statistician? (See report.)
7. What is the report of the treasurer? (See report.)
8. What are the reports of the district superintendents as to the status of the work within their districts? (See supplementary report.)
9. What is the schedule of minimum salaries for pastors? $1,800.00.
10. What is the plan and what are the approved claims for the support of the district superintendents for the ensuing year? $4,000.00 salary; $500.00 expense; $600.00 parsonage.
11. What amount has been apportioned to the pastoral charges within the conference to be raised for the support of conference claimants?
12. What are the apportionments to this conference:
    a) For the World Service Fund? 47.8% or $14,834
    b) For the Episcopal Fund? 2% of the pastor's cash salary.
    c) For the General Administration Fund? $531 or 1.9%
    d) For the Interdenominational Co-operation Fund? $421 or 1.4%
    e) For the Jurisdictional Administration Fund? $480 or 1.7%
13. What is the percentage division between world service and conference benevolences for the current year: World service? Conference benevolences?
14. What are the reports, recommendations, and plans of the conference agencies:
    a) What is the report of the Board of Pensions and what appropriations for conference claimants are reported and approved? See report.
    b) What is the report of the Board of Missions of disbursements of missionary aid within the conference? See Report.
    c) What is the report of the Commission on World Service and Finance? See report.
    d) What is the report of the Commission on Christian Vocations? See report.
    e) What are the other reports? See section for reports.
15. What Methodist institutions or organizations are approved by the conference for annuity responsibility? Bennett College, Allen High School, Gammon Seminary.
16. What date is determined for Golden Cross Enrollment Sunday?
17. Conference lay leader:
    a) Clarence M. Winchester, P. O. Box 1621, Greensboro, N. C.
    b) What is his report? See report section.
    c) Who are district and associate district lay leaders?
    Greensboro District: J. W. Sapp, District Lay Leader, E. M. Townes, Jr., Harry Dinsett, E. L. Raeford, Arthur Crump, David Morehead.
    Laurinburg District: Bruce Hargroves, District Lay Leader; Associate Lay Leaders: S. T. Brooks, Edward Henderson, F. W. Douglas:
    Western District: D. E. Fornet, District Lay Leader; Associate Lay Leaders; C. A. Brown, Ray Cabiness, E. L. Lackey, J. C. Calicut.
    Winston District: Richard C. Erwin, District Lay Leader, Associate Lay Leaders; A. W. Harper, T. A. Brower, L. H. Jones, Coy Payne.

18. What local churches have been:
    a) Organized None
    b) Merged? None
    c) Discontinued? None
    d) Relocated, and to what address? None
    e) Transferred into this conference from the Central Jurisdiction, and with what membership:
        1) This year? None.
        2) Previously? None.

PART II. PERTAINING TO MINISTERIAL RELATIONS

19. Are all the ministerial members of the conference blameless in their life and official administration? They are.
20. Who constitute the Conference Committee of Investigation? N. C. Conference Journal 1958, Page 6.
21. Who are the approved supply pastors:
    Greensboro District: L. W. Coletrain, W. N. Johnson, R. M. Martin, F. D. Morehead, J. H. Monor, W. L. Napper, R. Edward Sharpe, I. C. Spinks, G. L. Warren, W. T. Wright.
    Laurinburg District: E. C. Campbell, W. L. Davis, A. H. Douglas, Fred Benton, John McErchan, Leroy Worth.
    Western District: Bert J. Dula, Oscar Davenport, John Bowman, C. O. Hill, John F. Hill, Willie V. Leasure, T. D. McCorkle, (retired), R. H. McDowell, James M. McLean, Charles Tyson, T. A. Adams.
    Winston District: P. C. Carter, L. R. Eldridge, L. H. Jones, Mrs. Sophia East, Buford Miller, Clifton Scott, Sr., David W. Reynolds, Robert J. Toney, Otto Withers.
22. What approved supply pastors are credited with annuity claim on account of full-time service during the past year?
23. What preachers, coming from other evangelical churches, have had their orders recognized:
    a) As local deacons? None
    b) As local elders? J. H. Shiver
24. Who have been admitted from other evangelical churches as traveling preachers:
    a) As members on trial: Deacons? None
       Elders? None
    b) As members in full connection: Deacons? None
       Elders? J. H. Shiver
25. Who are admitted on trial:
    a) With degrees from approved colleges and credits from approved schools of theology? Samuel NeSmith, Clafin College
    b) With degrees from colleges not accredited by the University Senate and credits from approved schools of theology? None
    c) With degrees from approved colleges and completion of the introductory studies for the ministry? None
    d) With partial college credit, completion of the four-year course of study, and six years' service as approved supply pastors? None
26. Who are continued on trial; and what progress have they made in their ministerial studies:
    a) In approved schools of theology? None
    b) In the four-year course of study? Esau Alford Williams
    c) In the two years of special study? None
27. Who on trial are discontinued? None
28. Who are admitted into full connection? *Elwood J. Jones, Liston Sellers, Theodore Allen Powell, Harry Alexander Smith.
    *Elected but not present at the Conference to answer the questions for Reception.

29. Who have been elected deacons:
    a) Theological students? Samuel NeSmith
    b) Members on trial in the course of study? None
    c) Approved supply pastors? Charles Edwood Tyson, David Thomas Wright
    d) Other local preachers?
    e) Missionaries?
    f) Chaplains?
30. Who have been ordained deacons? Samuel NeSmith, Charles Edwood Tyson
31. Who have been elected elders:
    a) Theological graduates? Theadore Allen Powell, William Eric Tyler
    b) Course of study graduates? Harry Alexander Smith
    c) Approved supply pastors? Leonard Blake Eldridge, Isaac Cloye Spinks
    d) Other local preachers?
    e) Missionaries?
    f) Chaplains?
32. Who have been ordained elders? L. Blake Eldridge, Harry Alexander Smith, Theodore Allen Powell, Isaac Cloye Spinks
33. Who have been admitted or ordained to accommodate other conferences:
    a) Admitted: On trial? None
       Into full connection? None
    b) Ordained after election by this conference: Deacons? None
       Elders? None
    c) Ordained after election by other conferences: Deacons? None
       Elders?
34. Who are readmitted:
    a) As deacons?
    b) As elders? Ennis W. Whaley
35. What retired members have been made effective? None
36. Who have been received by transfer? None
37. Who have been transferred out? None
38. Who have had their conference membership terminated:
    a) By voluntary location? None
    b) By involuntary location? None
    c) By withdrawal? None
    d) By judicial procedure (expelled)? None
39. Deceased:
    a) What ministerial members have died during the year?
       Retired: Benjamine F. Gleaves, died 1958, received into full connection in a conference in 1924; J. H. Ledwell, died 1958, received into full connection in a conference in 1932; Robert W. Winchester, died 1959, received into full connection in a conference in 1901.
       Effective: Sammy B. McBrayer, died 1959, received into full connection in a conference in 1936
       On trial: None
    b) What approved supply pastors have died during the year? None
    c) What deaconesses have died during the year? None
40. Who are the supernumerary ministers, and for what number of years consecutively has each held this relation? None
41. Who are granted sabbatical leave? None
42. What ministerial members have been retired:
    a) This year? None
    b) Previously? B. Latta Burge, H. H. Davis, W. T. Lomax, D. C. Skeen, J. W. Shufford, E. Frost

43. What approved supply pastors have been retired:
    a) This year? None
    b) Previously? T. D. McCorkle
44. Who are appointed to attend school? James F. Campbell
45. What is the number of:
    a) General Information:
        Pastoral charges? 86
        Approved supply pastors? 36
        Received on trial? 0
        Received into full connection? 4
        Transferred in? 0
        Total value?
        Transferred out? 0
        Received from other evangelical churches? 1
        Readmitted? 1
        Discontinued? 0
        Withdrawn? 0
        Expelled? 0
        Indebtedness?
        Located?
        Deceased?
        Local preachers?
        Women under appointment?
        Retired made effective?
        Retired serving as supply pastors? 2
        District parsonages? 0
    b) Ministerial members:
        (1) On trial:
            (a) As pastors? 0
            (b) Under special appointment? 0
            (c) Appointed to attend school? 1
            Total on trial? 1
        (2) In full connection:
            (a) Effective:
                (i) As pastors and district superintendents? 61
                (ii) Under special appointment? 3
                (iii) Appointed to attend school? 1
                (iv) On sabbatical leave? 0
                Total effective? 61
            (b) Retired? 7
            (c) Supernumerary? 0
            Total ministerial members: (Add total on trial, effective, retired, and supernumerary.) 68
46. What other personal notation should be made? Not any

PART III. CONCLUDING BUSINESS

47. What are the detailed objectives of this conference for the coming year? (See supplementary report.)
48. Where shall the next conference session be held? Asbury Temple Methodist Church, Durham, N. C.
49. Is there any other business? None
50. What changes have been made in appointments since last Annual Conference Session? Not any
51. Where are the preachers stationed for the ensuing year? (See list of appointments.)

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS

(Central Jurisdiction, The Methodist Church)

Parentheses denote supply Pastor; *denotes change

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

W. T. Brown, Superintendent

Basses Chapel and Raleigh Cross Roads	W. E. Tyler*
Brown Summit	(Willis N. Napper)
Collins Grove	T. C. Tarpley
Cox Chapel and Shady Grove	C. G. Bynum
Durham	D. E. Moore
Empire Circuit	(F. D. Moorehead)
Greensboro: Browning Chapel	C. C. Armstrong
Mt. Tabor	R. F. McCallum*
St. Matthews	J. E. Brower
South	Eugene Black*
Union Memorial	G. M. Phelps
Warren Street and Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell
Kernersville	E. J. Jones*
Laughlin Memorial and Ramseur	L. J. Sellers
Leaksville	J. G. Corry
Mt. Zion and Zion Hill	(J. H. Minor)
Chapel Hill	F. F. McCallum*
Newport News	(Robert E. Sharpe)
Oxford	(L. W. Coltrane)
Raleigh	O. W. Burwick
Randleman	(I. C. Spinks)
Reidsville	G. H. Caldwell
St. James and Summerfield	(W. N. Johnson)
Saint Peters	(R. M. Martin)
Wesley Chapel	Wm. E. Hairston

SPECIAL DISTRICT ASSIGNMENTS

Missionary Secretary	C. C. Armstrong
Secretary of Evangelism	O. W. Burwick
Secretary of Temperance	L. J. Sellers
Director of Stewardship	V. J. Caveness
Director of World Peace	J. G. Corry

LAURINBURG DISTRICT

R. B. Sharpe, Superintendent

Bolton and St. Peter	(Walter Davis)
Charlotte: Simpson Memorial	C. E. Strickland
Fairmont	(John Monroe)
Fayetteville: John Wesley	R. B. McRae
Goldsboro	(Harlon London)
Hamlet: St. Peter	Daniel McLean
Hickory and Bend and St. Mark	(D. R. McGirt)
Hoffman and Millers	John McEachen
Johns Station and Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum
Laurinburg	G. E. Hogue
Laurinburg Ct.	(Leroy Worth)*
Lumberton	J. W. Ferree
Maxton	O. M. Graham
Mt. Zion and Philadelphia	E. A. Williams
Pembroke and New Zion	(E. C. Campbell)
Red Springs	Miles Murphy, Jr.*

Rowland ..... J. F. Sawyer
Sanford Ct. ..... (A. H. Douglas)
Wilmington ..... J. H. Shiver

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Director of World Peace ..... O. M. Graham

WESTERN DISTRICT

H. W. Phillips, Supt.

Asheville ..... Marshall McCallum
Boone and Beaver Creek ..... (O. S. Davenport)
Catawba Circuit ..... (Theodore Powell)*
Forest City and Union Mill ..... C. L. Gidney
Gastonia and Bessemer City ..... J. T. Jones
Hickory ..... R. D. Sharpe
Kings Mountain ..... (R. H. McDowell)*
Lenoir ..... S. L. Townsend
Lincolnton Circuit ..... (C. O. Hill)
Lowesville Circuit ..... M. S. Laughlin
Marion ..... D. S. Harkness
Mooresville Circuit ..... J. Q. Dula
Mt. Holly and Hunters Chapel ..... (B. L. Burge)
Newton and Granite Falls ..... A. W. Stowe
Old Fort ..... (J. L. Bowman)
Philadelphia and Brooks ..... J. W. Patterson*
Shelby and Grace Mission ..... A. E. Robinson
Stanley and St. Paul ..... (B. J. Dula)
Statesville and Harpers ..... C. W. Bailey
West Asheville—Franklin ..... Willie V. Leazer
Wilkesboro and Stoney Point ..... (Charles Tyson)
Mooresboro ..... T. D. McCorkle*

SPECIAL DISTRICT ASSIGNMENTS

Missionary Secretary ..... J. T. Jones
Secretary of Evangelism ..... A. W. Stowe
Secretary of Temperance ..... S. L. Townsend
Director of Stewardship ..... J. Jolly
Director of World Peace ..... D. S. Harkness

WINSTON DISTRICT

L. A. Brown, Superintendent

Advance ..... I. A. Friend*
Asheboro ..... J. W. Jones
Elkin, Jonesville ..... J. B. Bethea
High Point: Brooks Memorial ..... W. S. McLeod
St. Mark ..... J. J. Patterson
Lexington ..... G. A. Brooks
(Asst.—L. H. Jones)
Madison ..... H. A. Smith
Mount Airy ..... (L. B. Eldridge)
Oak Grove ..... (Otto Withers)
Penhook ..... (B. C. Miller)
Pilot Mountain ..... (P. G. Carter)
Thomasville ..... J. D. Ashford

St. Johns ..... W. J. Cameron
Trinity ..... W. P. Cole
Winston-Salem: Mt. Pleasant ..... Wm. R. Crawford
(David Reynolds—Supply)
St. Andrews ..... J. W. Gwyn
and
Walnut Cove ..... J. W. Gwyn
Saints Home ..... W. R. Royster*
St. Paul ..... L. M. Mayfield
Mitchell ..... (W. T. Lomax)
Glenola and Liberty Grove ..... To Be Supplied

SPECIAL DISTRICT ASSIGNMENTS

Missionary Secretary ..... R. F. McCallum
Secretary of Evangelism ..... J. W. Jones
Secretary of Temperance ..... J. J. Patterson
Director of Stewardship ..... Charles Tyson
Director of World Peace ..... Wm. R. Crawford

SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

Conference Executive Secretary ..... Douglas E. Moore
Chaplain, United States Army ..... P. W. Jenkins
John H. Mills
Professor, Wiley College ..... J. E. McCallum
Allen High School ..... Winifred M. Wrisley, Deaconess
Director, Wesley Foundation, A. & T. College ..... John G. Corry
Director, Wesley Foundation, N. C. College, Durham .... Douglas E. Moore
Weft without appointment to attend school ..... James F. Campbell

SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS

Conference Director of Stewardship ..... Marshall McCallum
Conference Missionary Secretary ..... W. J. Cameron
Conference Secretary of Evangelism ..... R. F. McCallum
Conference Secretary of Temperance ..... W. S. McLeod
Conference Director of Wills ..... C. W. Winchester

REPORT OF DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Bishop Love, Members and Friends of the North Carolina Conference, Greetings!

It gives me a deep sense of pleasure to present my second report as District Superintendent of the Greensboro District.

Last year, I had the great privilege of presenting my first report at the One Hundredth Session of our Conference. This year, I have the great privilege of presenting my second report at the beginning of the second century of our work. Let us move into this second century with the confidence that "the Everlasting God, the Lord" will be with us.

I thank Almighty God for giving me protection, strength, and guidance during the year.

Bishop Love, I thank you for the great leadership that you are giving our Conference. This Conference has made great progress under your leadership.

Again, I thank my fellow District Superintendents for their advice and cooperation.

Then, again, I wish to thank the Ministers and Laymen of the District for their wonderful support.

Let us now consider the District Activities during the year.

EVANGELISM

This year the Bishops of our Jurisdiction sponsored an Evangelistic Crusade. In order to prepare the District for this Crusade, a District Mass Meeting on Evangelism was held at St. Paul Methodist Church in Reidsville, North Carolina, on January 31, 1959. Under the leadership of the District Superintendent and the Reverend O. W. Burwick, District Secretary of Evangelism, the District Committee on Evangelism planned the Mass Meeting. At this meeting the District Superintendent gave an interpretation of the Bishops' Evangelistic Crusade, the Rev. O. W. Burwick led in a discussion of the chart, **They Went Forth Two By Two,** and the Rev. W. R. Royster and the Rev. John G. Corry preached great sermons on "Evangelism and the Holy Spirit."

There were about one hundred persons in attendance at the meeting.

The following were the results of the Crusade on the District:

Number of prospects at beginning of Crusade	220
Number of teams visiting	54
Number of visits made	256
Number of persons contacted	324
Number received on profession of faith	46
Number received by transfer	14
Number received from other denominations	17
Number restored to roll	42

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Last fall the Board of Education of the Western North Carolina Conference of the South Eastern Jurisdiction and the churches of Greater Greensboro of that Conference sponsored a Greater Greensboro Leadership School. All the churches in the Greater Greensboro area of our District were invited to participate in this school. The following charges of the District sent representatives to the school: St. Matthews, Union Memorial, South Greensboro, Raleigh Cross Roads and Basses Chapel, and St. James and Summerfield. The School was held at West Market Street Methodist Church in Greensboro.

On May 16 of this year, a District Youth Rally was held at New Goshen Methodist Church on the South Greensboro Charge. A course for Older Youth, "Looking Toward Marriage," was taught by Mrs. Bettye J. Taylor, Counselor for the Randolph County Sub-district Youth Group. Another course for Intermediates, "Christian Fellowship," was taught by Miss Fannie McCallum, Counselor for the Greensboro Area Sub-district Youth Group. A discussion, "How Can Youth Witness for Christ," was led by Miss Lorretta Free, District Director of Youth Work, and the Rev. John G. Corry, Pastor of the Leaksville Charge. The closing message was delivered by the Rev. Douglas E. Moore, Conference Executive Secretary.

The Rev. John G. Corry and the Rev. Douglas E. Moore are doing excellent jobs as Directors of the Wesley Foundations at A. and T. College and North Carolina College, respectively.

The Greensboro District did a great job in raising more than its 27% share of the $10,000 for Bennett College.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Our District Conference was held at Collins Grove Methodist Church on April 25 of this year. The following District Staff Workers gave excellent reports: Mr. J. W. Sapp, District Lay Leader; Dr. C. C. Armstrong, District Missionary Secretary; Mrs. Verdie M. Allen, representing Mrs. Dorothy P. Jones, President of the Woman's Society of Christian Service;

the Rev. Liston Sellers, District Secretary of Temperance; Miss Lorretta Free, District Director of Youth Work; Mrs. Bettye J. Taylor, District Director of Adult Work; and the Rev. John G. Corry, District Director of World Peace.

The Rev. J. E. Brower delivered an inspirational message, and a musical program was presented by Bennett College.

MINISTERS LOST BY DEATH THIS YEAR

Our Heavenly Father has seen fit to take from us this year the Rev. R. W. Winchester and the Rev. J. H. Ledwell. They have finished their work in the Church Militant and have gone to join the Church Triumphant.

SUMMARY OF WORK ON THE CHARGES

Raleigh Cross Road and Basses Chapel: Eugene Black, Pastor. This charge has had another fine year under the leadership of Brother Black.

Brown Summit: W. L. Napper, Pastor. Brother Napper has just completed his first year as pastor of this charge. He has done a good job. The Garrett's Grove Church has been covered, painted on the inside, and the yard has been landscaped. The Jackson Church has raised $1,100.00 on a fund to build a new church.

Durham: D. E. Moore, Pastor. Durham is still moving forward under the excellent leadership of Brother Moore. Some of the finest leaders to be found anywhere are now on the Official Board of this charge. Another large housing project is now being completed near the church. The North Carolina Conference now has a wonderful opportunity in Durham.

Collins Grove: T. C. Tarpley, Pastor. Brother Tarpley and the members of this charge have done good work this year. The landscaping of the grounds of this beautiful church has been completed.

Empire Circuit: F. D. Morehead, Pastor. This charge has great possibilities. Plans are being made to make the needed improvements.

Browning Chapel: C. C. Armstrong, Pastor. The charge is still moving forward under the leadership of Dr. Clinton C. Armstrong. Bishop Edgar A. Love will dedicate the church this summer.

Mt. Tabor: J. W. Shuford, Pastor. Brother Shuford has been ill much of this year. However, under his guidance and with the fine cooperation of the laymen, a great job has been done this year. All financial obligations have been met in full. Brother Shuford has asked to be left without appointment this year. May we pray God's richest blessings upon him and Mrs. Shuford.

St. Matthews: J. E. Brower, Pastor. This charge has done good work this year. They are looking forward to building a new church. They have, therefore, decided to raise $10,000 per year until they have raised enough to begin building.

South Greensboro: W. R. Royster, Pastor. Brother Royster has given excellent leadership to this charge this year. The sum of $3,882.00 has been spent for building and improvement at the New Goshen Church.

Union Memorial: G. M. Phelps, Pastor. Union Memorial has had another great year under the leadership of its efficient pastor, the Reverend G. M. Phelps. This is now one of the leading appointments in the Conference.

Warren Street and Mt. Carmel: F. D. Caldwell, Pastor. Brother Caldwell and his people have done good work this year. This is one of the strong charges on the District.

Kernersville: W. T. Lomax, Pastor. After serving the North Carolina Conference for 56 years, Brother Lomax is still on the job.

Reidsville: G. H. Caldwell, Pastor. Needed improvements have been made on the church. Under the circumstances, Brother Caldwell has done well.

Leaksville: John G. Corry, Pastor. This charge is still making great strides under the excellent leadership of its young pastor. This year Brother Corry was offered a $5,000.00 position as one of the editors of Church School Literature on the General Board of Education of the Methodist Church. But because of his love for the Pastoral Ministry, he turned down this offer. Leaksville is now a Station Charge. Plans are being made for a new church building. The sum of $800.00 has been raised this year on the building fund.

Mt. Zion and Zion Hill: J. H. Minor, Pastor. Mt. Zion is now building a new church.

Newport News and Pleasant Ridge: E. A. Williams, Pastor. This charge has done fair work this year.

Oxford Circuit: L. W. Coltrane, Pastor. Brother Coltrane is doing a good job in paying off the debt at Oxford. On the whole, this charge has had a good year.

Raleigh: O. W. Burwick, Pastor. Brother Burwick has made history in Raleigh this year. He has done a great job. Among the improvements this year was the installing of a gas central heating system in the parsonage.

Randleman: I. C. Spinks, Pastor. The debt on this church has been paid and the pastor and members are now ready for the burning of the mortgage and dedication service.

St. James and Summerfield: W. N. Johnson, Pastor. This charge is still moving forward under the leadership of Brother Johnson.

Wesley Chapel and Chapel Hill: W. E. Hairston, Pastor. The North Carolina Conference will forever be in debt to Brother Hairston for the beautiful modern brick church which he has built at Wesley Chapel. A beautiful landscaping job has also recently been done there.

Cox Chapel and Shady Grove: C. G. Bynum, Pastor. This charge is still struggling. As I said in my report last year, the two churches would do better if they became one congregation.

Laughlin Memorial and Ramseur: Liston Sellers, Pastor. This charge is still making great progress under the dynamic leadership of its young pastor. This is especially true of Laughlin Memorial.

St. Peter: R. M. Martin, Pastor. This charge is still moving forward under the fine leadership of Brother Martin.

CONCLUDING WORD

May I close with the words of that great Methodist Layman, Attorney Robert G. Mayfield, General Secretary of the Board of Lay Activities of the Methodist Church. Writing in the May, 1959 issue of **The Methodist Layman**, Mr. Mayfield says, I quote, "Methodism stands today at a very important fork in the road of her history. We have rationalized our failures which have prevented the Church from accomplishing her mission. We have been unconscious of the real feebleness that marks the Church today. Although there has been an increase in attendance and other apparent evidence of a renewed interest in religion, nevertheless, in many of our local churches the great majority of our members know the anointing of the Holy Spirit as a theological abstraction rather than as a personal experience.

"We have had a tendency to fall into the fallacy of thinking that the greatest need of the Church today is a bigger and better program. In truth, and in fact, the Church desperately needs more people who are dedicated and surrendered to Christ and which the Holy Spirit can use as channels for His power.

"The Disciples were trained and instructed for their mission in the world. Christ would not let them go into the world until they had tarried in Jerusalem and were endued with power from on high—until they were **empowered for service.** Wesley E. Stanley Jones, and others had this experience and it changed them from men of weakness to men of power for God.

"The Church must put a major emphasis in the direction of calling her people to a new experience in Christ—an anointing of the Holy Spirit."

Respectfully submitted,
William T. Brown

WINSTON DISTRICT

Bishop Love, fellow-ministers, Laymen and, visiting friends of the North Carolina Annual Conference:

I am deeply grateful to almighty God for guidance and strength which have been ours this year. After listening to three other reports of this nature, I regard the privilege of making this my second report as district superintendent of the Winston District as imposing upon me two obligations: First, that of being brief, second, that of trying to decide, and bring to your attention at this time only the high lights of what I consider a very rewarding year. Forbearing of the first obligation I shall be without excuse, but the second involves such difficulties that I must ask your kind forbearance if I fall short.

The work of the district from the early weeks of the conference year to the closing days has been as satisfactory as one could hope for. Following the tradition of the district, immediately following our Annual conference the session of our District Youth Institute was held with results that will continue to be felt in our local charges. We are deeply grateful for, and high in our praise of, the educational staff of our district for the interest they are expressing in our youth. Reverend Gwyn and his good people were host to the institute and made it most pleasant for all.

The special District Evangelistic project perhaps highlights the spiritual efforts and concerns. We firmly believe that the world's need is the redemptive power of Christ for people in all walks of life. To this end the Winston District joined hands with the Western District in a special two-weeks evangelistic program known as the Bishops' Crusade. Among the happy results we note that it gave the Commissions a sense of their obligations and opportunities to serve. It was a thrilling and inspiring experience. The results were encouraging. The reports of the ministers will show a substantial increase in membership as a result of the crusade.

With a continued strong acceptance of the doctrine that the spirit in which one labors and gives is of the primary essence, I have striven more diligently this year than ever to inspire ministers and laymen to share with me this conviction and to translate it into a living reality. The unity and spirit which I have been able to observe in my official visits to the churches indicate that great progress is being made in this area in the majority of our churches.

Time will not permit me to speak of individual accomplishments of the ministers. It suffices to say that every minister has played his part well under the varying circumstances. The ministers have led their congregations to accept the program of the conference and of the great church of which we are a part in a way that is commendable.

The physical plants of most of the churches on the district are in good condition. Some have been rebuilt recently, while others have had expensive repairs and remodeling. We have had two new church edifices completed this year. At Mid-way, under the leadership of the Reverend G. A. Brooks, stands one of the most beautiful new churches in our entire conference. It is spacious and well equipped to meet the needs of the growing community in which it is located. It is truly a "thing of beauty," and may it be "a joy forever." Brother Brooks not only led his people in making possible the construction of the church but helped with his own hands with the masonry work.

At Walkertown, under the leadership of the Reverend L. B. Eldrige an almost miracle has been wrought. With about seven members a beautiful cement block church has been built. The opening services will be held June 21st. Both ministers and laymen have made great sacrifices for these achievements.

Many of our charges are without parsonages and many that have parsonages need to rebuild. I regret that I cannot report a favorable situation in this area. Much remains to be done. The only bright spot in this area is that there is a growing awareness of the need in the field.

One of the sad notes that we must recognize in this report is that one of our ardernt workers, in the person of the Reverend W. S. McLeod was striken with a heart ailment in March and forced to give up his work temporarily. I am happy to report that he is recovering nicely. Due to his interest and enthusiasm, it was thought by his family and friends that he would not remain relaxed enough to be allowed to attend this session of the Annual Conference. We were very fortunate in having Dr. Harrision of the Western North Carolina Conference, friend of Brooks Memorial and of the Reverend McLeod, to offer his services. He has done a good job and we are much indebted to him.

No report of the activities of the church can ever be complete without recognition of Laymen, the Woman's Society of Christian Service, and the Ministers' Wives. Their untiring loyalty and devotion in the area of stewardship are very pronounced in the district benevolence report. Considerable gains have been made in benevolence giving in most of our churches.

Respectfully submitted,

L. A. Brown, District Superintendent
Winston District

REPORT OF THE WESTERN DISTRICT

Bishop Love, fellow ministers, lay members of the annual conference and friends, I feel a deep sense of humility as I make this my second report to the annual conference. Being motivated by the spirit of God and encouraged by our beloved Bishop, I feel that the program of the Western District is progressing.

Before going further into my report, I should like to thank the loyal ministers of the Western District for all of their unselfish efforts toward making the program of the Methodist Church meaningful.

This year the Western District has suffered the loss of two of its members, the Rev. S. B. McBrayer, pastor of the Philadelphia and the Mooresboro Churches. He was a rugged soldier of the cross and fought for the cause of kingdom building until the last minute. His fortitude and determination were most encouraging to all of us. Our other loss was Sister R. D. Sharpe. Everyone who knew her will confess that there has never been a more faithful Christian. She worked almost to the last minute in her home, church of which she was actively engaged in youth work, and her community. Mere words give way under the strain of trying to express the loss of such a personality. I do not like to personate or single out any member of my district; but, I must say that Rev. R. D. Sharpe, having had sickness in his home most of the year and having been in the hospital himself for several days, comes to the conference with the longest financial report of the district.

EVANGELISM

We feel that we have done an unusual job this year in the field of evangelism. We have tried to gear the total program of the church to meet the spiritual needs of our members.

During the period of the Bishop's Crusade, each individual church worked according to the plan given to us by the General Board of Evangelism as directed by the Bishops of the Central Jurisdiction. After the crusade was over, we felt that we took a forward step in planning and carrying out a preaching mission involving the Winston District and the Western District. During the preaching mission, the ministers of the Winston District ascended the pulpits of the Western District and preached as they had never preached before.

The next week the ministers of the Western District came to the Winston District and preached. The District Superintendent of both districts preached also. This was not a financial effort for the ministers of both districts gave their time without charge. We feel that this was a forward step in unifying our efforts toward a salvation of the members of our districts.

Because of these two efforts on our districts this year, the Bishop's Crusade and the Preaching Mission, many professions were made and many of our members were reclaimed.

There is also an annual period of evangelism during the summer when many of our members of the Western District move to the camp ground for a week of fellowship and spiritual unlift.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

We have a most encouraging program of Christian Education on the Western District. There are certified directors in every phase of religious education. These directors give their time freely and the expense of travel is paid for through a district cultivation fund.

Early in this conference year a leadership training school was held at McQueen Chapel in Conover. We had an enrollment of over eighty persons. The second and third quarters of this year were set aside for sub-district meetings at which time each director held classes in all phases of educational work.

We also held a meeting at Epworth Church in Gastonia of which J. T. Jones is pastor. At this meeting we organized the Methodist Youth Fellowship beyond the local church.

We are looking forward to making better progress in the year ahead of us. We have held eight district group meetings during the year with much success.

OUR DISTRICT CONFERENCE

On April 11 we held a one-day district conference at Philadelphia Methodist Church, Lawndale, North Carolina. The pastor of the church had passed a week before; but the faithful members of this church gave us the best entertainment I have seen anywhere. The attendance and participation at this conference were very good. There were over one hundred members of the district present. The reports from each department of the church showed outstanding progress.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service gave a pre-conference program the Friday night before the Saturday of the conference. The W.S.C.S. has made real progress in each phase of its work under the leadership of Mrs. Margaret London. The financial report at the District Conference was over $3,000.

RESERVE PENSION FUND

The reserve pension fund on the Western District is still lagging. A few of the churches have paid in full, but the most of them have a lack of interest. And sadly to say, much of this lack of interest is being caused by the ministers' lack of interest. We are hoping at this conference that there will come some sort of injection that will raise the pension fund from the dead.

BUILDING AND IMPROVEMENTS

Several churches are planning to build. There have been some minor improvements to churches throughout the district. The major project on the district at this ime is the building of the new pastorage at Asheville. It is being built at a cost of $19,000.

FINANCIAL STATUS

Wih one or two exceptions the ministers of the Western District have received their full salaries for the year. Our total report this year, as you will see from the treasurer's report, exceeds that of last year's over $4,000. However, there is still tremendous room for improvement. We are looking forward as we go into a new year of bringing the district closer to its financial goal.

Our Lay Program of the Western District is not of reporting quality. This is one phase of our work that we are going to place special emphasis during the ensuing year.

STEWARDSHIP AND TEMPERANCE

We had during this year a district-wide meeting at Brooks Chapel Church. This meeting was a joint meeting on temperance and stewardship. The temperance program was under the direction of the leader of temperance, S. L. Townsend, pastor of our church in Lenoir. We feel that much good was done toward promoting the temperance program. The program on stewardship was under the direction of J. Jolly. Brother Jolly is very interested in this phase of the church's program.

A great interest was shown by all who attended. Our last group meeting was a check-up meeting held at Scott's Chapel Methodist Church in Statesville. There was almost one-hundred per cent attendance. The financial reports were made out for the year. The ministers made out their reports and sent them in. The last part of the meeting was a planning program for the ensuing year. The meeting closed at a restaurant downtown where a delicious luncheon was served.

In conclusion I wish to again thank each minister and layman for his support during the year. Each of us is returning with the thought of the poet in our minds when he said,

"We are not here to play, to dream, to drift,
We have hard work to do and loads to lift
Shun not the struggle, 'tis God's gift."
"Be Strong"

Humbly submitted,
H. W. Phillips
District Superintendent
for the Western District

THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE LAURINBURG DISTRICT, 1958-1959

Bishop Love, Honored Guest, Fellow Ministers and friends of the North Carolina Conference. Greetings!

The passing of another year privileges me to submit another report for the Laurinburg District.

There has been a reasonable amount of progress made in most of the charges for which we are grateful to our Heavenly Father for His help and guidance.

To expedite time, as we started a day late, I shall be as brief as seems reasonable with this report and point out a few of the most important phases of our work.

The Commissions of Education along with the pastors have done a good job in planning and teaching the program of the Methodist Church this year.

MEMBERSHIP AND EVANGELISM

Bolton and St. Peter—Walter Davis, pastor, accessions 3.

Charlotte—C. E. Strickland, pastor, accessions

Fayetteville—R. B. McRae, Pastor Accessions 36 adults, 19 children, total 55. **Fairmont**—**John Monroe**, pastor accessions

Goldsboro—Harlon London, pastor accessions

Hamlet—D. H. McLean, Pastor, accessions 22.

Hickory Bend and St. Mark—D. R. McGirt, pastor 3 accessions

Hoffman and Millers—John McEchain, Pastor 7 accessions

John's and Piney Grove—J. H. McCallum, pastor 18 accessions, Baptised 10 children and 6 youths.

Laurinburg—G. E. Hogue, pastor 38 accessions

Laurinburg St.—Miles Murphy, Jr., pastor accessions

Lumberton and B. Spot—J. W. Ferree, pastor 28 accessions.

Maxton—O. M. Graham, pastor accessions

Mt. Zion and Philadelphia—I. A. Friend, pastor accessions

Pembroke and New Zion—E. C. Campbell, pastor 42 accessions

Red Springs—F. F. McCallum, pastor accessions

Rowland and Salem—J. F. Sawyer, pastor accessions.

Sanford Ct.—A. H. Douglas, pastor 52 accessions

Wilmington—J. H. Shiver, pastor, accessions

A total accessions 269 given to date.

It is our greatest hope that these New Disciples are being thoroughly trained in Methodism and Christian stewardship.

The Psalmist said of old, "Except the Lord keep the city, the watchman waketh but in vain."

Bishop Love and Friends I do not believe you would forgive me if I attempted to close this report without holding up before this conference the possibility of any Church group, led by the Holy Spirit to build a House to Glory of God and the benefit of His people.

Galllee in Laurinburg was condemned and as a result the congregation was shifted from place to place for Divine Worship services.

Even though the membership split, Reverend Hogue, pastor, was able to lead his flock into the purchasing of 2½ acres of land on which to build a new Church. In spite of all this they have one of the most beautiful and useful churches in the conference. It is a modern miracle. Brother Hogue and his folk are to be commended.

John Wesley—The magnificant Edifice in which we are holding the one hundred, one session of this great Religious influence of our State speaks for herself and shows the great work done here by Brother McRae and his loyal people. They have wrough nobly. So, John Wesley is a standing symbol of good leadership, faith, hard work, patience and love for the Kingdom of God. To Brother McRae and his loyal followers we offer our sincere gratitude.

Philadelphia, at Rockingham is in the process of building one of the finest rural Churches in the Conference, we shall be worshiping in this church within 60 to 90 days. Rev. J. A. Friend and his good people are doing good work.

Abraham Lincoln told about a log that was too big to haul, too wet to burn and too knotty to split—so he just plowed around it. Bishop Love, we found the same situation when we came to the District. Instead of going around the big problems of needing New Churches we just decided to do something about it. Therefore, four New Churches have been built and one relocated. There are four more that will be reported in the process of building in next year's report God being our helper.

We do need an injection in the arm for stimulation toward our claims. Maybe, Bishop Love, you can give us the stimulation that will inspire us to move up in our rightful position with our claims.

Matthew tells that two young men, fishermen were mending their nets one day in the boat with their father when a new teacher passed by and called them. "And they immediately left the ship and their father and followed Him."

Centuries later another young man saw slaves being sold in New Orleans, La. and resolved that if he ever got a chance to fight slavery, he would hit it and hit it hard. In the light of history and legend these decisions seem simple and clear. We see the results and know the choices were wise. James and John were two of the disciples closest to Jesus. Abraham Lincoln freed the slaves. In his case we have learned details of his life, the changes in strengthening of his resolve. In the case of James and John we are told nothing of the fears and misgivings they may have had, the taunts and jeers from friends and neighbors and relatives. But in all three instances they kept to the road they had marked for themselves in simple Faith, with single mined integrity, knowing that the thing they had seen was true and right.

In simple trust like theirs who heard, "Beside the Syrian sea, The Glorious calling of the Lord, Let us, like them, without a word, Rise up and follow Thee."

Respectfully submitted

R. C. Sharpe
Superintendent of the
Laurinburg District
523 Albany Street
Fayetteville, N. C.

THE REPORT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE COMMISSION ON WORLD SERVICE AND FINANCE

Beginning June 8, 1959 and Ending near May 15, 1960

Bishop Love, your Commission on World Service and Finance of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Church wishes to present its report for the coming Conference Year. The Commission has considered sincerely and prayerfully, all requests, particularly where there has been request of increased budgets. We feel that it is in the interest of the Conference that items in our budget, where possible, without hindrance to work, remain the same.

I. The Commission recommends for your action and determination here and now, the following budgets for the Conference year beginning June 8, 1959 and ending near May 15, 1960—$31,161.00.

   A. In addition to the $31,161.00, the Commission also recommends the amount of $1.30 (one dollar and thirty cents) per church member for Higher Education and the Wesley Foundation.

   B. That a Reserve Fund be established by setting aside 5% of all gross income of the conference. In addition to the 5% of all gross income of the Conference, the Commission also recommends that $1,000 be apportioned to the several charges of the Conference annually, for this fund, until a total amount of $5,000 has been established.

   C. For World Service General Administration and Annual Conference Benevolence $31,161.00

1. To be administered in the following apportionments:

(a) World Service	$14,834	or 47.8%
(b) General Administration	531	or 1.9%
(c) Jurisdictional Conference Exp.	480	or 1.7%
(d) Area Pastor's School	800	or 2.8%
(e) Interdenominational Co-operation	421	or 1.4%
(f) Area Expense	3,255	or 10.5%
(g) Annual Conference Benevolences	10,200	or 33.9%

2. That the Annual Conference Benevolences be administered as follows:

(a) Home Mission Board (for promotional work and field cultivation within the Conference)	$ 6,500	or 62%
(b) Board of Education:		
(1) Executive Secretary's Salary	1,500	or 14%
(2) Executive Secretary's Expenses	300	or 2.8%
(3) Board of Education Expenses	200	or 1.9%
(c) Board of Lay Activities	125	or 1.2%
(d) Secretary and Statistician Expenses	200	or 1.9%
(e) Home Mission Board Expenses	175	or 1.7%
(f) Commission on Town and Country Work	175	or 1.7%
(g) Board of Evangelism	125	or 1.2%
(h) Com. on World Service and Finance	100	or .9%
(i) Commission on Peace	100	or .9%
(j) Home Life Commission	40	or .3%
(k) Board of Temperance	125	or 1.2%
(l) Area Leadership School	400	or 3.9%
(m) Methodist Television Ministry	250	or 2.4%
(n) Board of Sec. and Ed. Relations	100	or .9%
(o) Methodist Information and Public Relations Commission	100	or .9%
(p) Commission on Cultivation and Prom	25	or .2%

II. That the Cabinet make the apportionments for the individual charges on the basis of the ratio that other apportionments are made.

A. Treasurer's expenses shall be 2% not to exceed five hundred dollars ($500.00) of all funds collected.

B. That the Dist. Supts. receive a salary of $4,000 (Four Thousand Dollars) per year, travel expense items at $500.00 (Five Hundred Dollars) and district parsonage rent at $600.00 (Six Hundred Dollars); making a total of $5,100.00 (Fifty-one Hundred Dollars) to be prorated to each charge.

C. That the Episcopal Fund shall be an amount equal to two per cent (2%) of the Pastor's cash salary.

D. That the Conference Claimants shall be an amount equal to fifteen per cent (15%) of the pastor's cash salary.

E. That the Greensboro and Winston Districts be given 27% of all apportionments and that the Western and Laurinburg Districts be given 23% of all apportionments.

F. That each charge of the Conference observe the Special Days as required or set forth by the General Conference.

Report approved by the North Carolina Conference at its One-Hundredth and One Session, John Wesley Methodist Church, Fayetteville, North Carolina, entertaining June 3rd through June 7th, 1959.

J. E. Brower, Chairman

REPORT OF TREASURER ON FINANCE

NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL METHODIST CONFERENCE

Centennial Committee By: G. H. Caldwell

Received from Conference Treasurer		$ 600.00
Received From Church and Pastors for Brochures		649.00
Total Amount Received		$1,249.00
Paid Out	$ 777.02	
Accounts Payable	658.30	
Total Accounts	$1,435.32	
Balance Due by Centennial Committee		1,435.32
		1,249.00
		$ 186.32

Received By Finance Committee: Clarence M. Winchester, Treasurer

53 Banquet Tickets @ $5.00	$ 265.00	
22 Banquet Tickets @ $3.00	66.00	
Total Banquet Tickets Sales		$ 331.00
Public Collection (June 10,)	39.21	
Public Collection (June 11)	29.38	
Communion Collection	123.80	
Bennett College Collection	65.96	
Collection for Mrs. Hogue	30.31	
Collection for W. S. Berry	69.30	
And Expense of Ministers Attending Funeral Sunday Collection	390.40	
Total Collections		$ 748.36
Brochures Sales at Registration Desk		26.00
Brochures Sales Reported By Rev. G. M. Phelps		23.00
Rev. J. E. Brower		34.00
Total Receipts		$1,162.36

Disbursements:

Rev. W. T. Brown for Ministers Expense to W. S. Berry Funeral	$ 30.00
Mrs. W. S. Berry Donation	40.00
Bishop Robert E. Jones	75.00
Bishop Willis J. King	50.00
Rev. G. E. Hogue	30.31
Rev. D. S. Harkness (Publicity)	1.10
Mr. William Gibson (Publicity)	3.70
Mrs. P. I. Wells	3.75
Mrs. T. H. Wooten	6.28
Rev. J. J. Patterson	9.70
Rev. L. M. Mayfield	5.00
Rev. Liston Sellars (Love Feast)	5.30
Rev. Liston Sellars (Refund)	5.00
Mrs. S. A. Peeler	27.61
Schiffmans Jewery Company	21.60
Citation Award to Supt. B. L. Smith	
Mr. William Gibson	5.00
Mrs. Mammie Smith	5.00
Mr. R. E. Jones, Jr.	20.00
For Tips to Dining Room Help	
Bennett College Collection Received	65.90
Bishop Edgar A. Love	123.80
Communion Collection Received	

Rev. G. H. Caldwell	186.32	
Clarence Whiteman (Music)	10.00	
Bennett College (For Banquet 139 @ $2.00)	278.00	
Extra Meals	21.45	
Lodging—Meals—Conference Guest And Retired Ministers and Widows	78.25	
Total Amount Paid Out	$1,108.13	
Balance on Hand	54.23	
Supplementary		
Additional Receipts	25.00	
Additional Receipts	$ 42.88	
Balance on Hand		$ 36.25

C. M. Winchester, Treasurer

NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE TREASURER'S REPORT

June 10, 1958 to September 29, 1958 by L. A. Brown: Retiring Treasurer

June 9, 1958 Conference Balance		$13,458.85
Received at Conference session:		
Conference Benevolences and Pension	7,441.38	
Publishing House	1,277.22	
Grand Total	22,177.45	
Disbursements: June 10 to September 29		$22,177.45
Wesley Foundations:		
J. G. Corry		$ 72.50
Douglas Moore		72.50
Durham M. Church (Advance)		100.00
Wesley Chapel (Advance)		43.00
Colins Grove (Advance)		43.00
L. A. Brown, Treasurer's Exp.		500.00
St. Andrews (Advance)		200.00
Baltimore Area Office		800.00
Midway M. Church (Advance)		350.00
C. M. Winchester; Lay Activities		52.53
Mrs. Edgar Love, (Africa)		175.00
Galilee; Laurinburg		1000.00
R. F. McCallum (District Exp.)		15.00
Executive Secy. D. Moore		125.00
St. Andrews (Advance)		150.00
Dr. Thomas B. Lugg		974.00
Gammon Theo. Seminary		441.90
Allen High School		311.48
Central Jurisdictional Treas.		741.00
General Board of Edu.		247.00
Board of Pension		6,632.00
Statistican:		
J. J. Patterson		79.53
Secy. Wm. R. Crawford		100.00
Assistants to the Treas.		
Revs. Sawyer and Jones		25.00
Executive Secy.		
Douglas Moore		150.00
Board of Church Extension:		
G. M. Phelps		71.16
Treasurer's Help & Materials		35.00

Leadership School:	
Bennett College	256.50
General Board of Edu.	84.00
Higher Edu. and Area Edu.:	
Bennett College	926.70
Convocation on Evangelism; L. M. Mayfield	50.00
Convocation Delegates, W. T. Brown	100.00
Ferrees Chapel	50.00
John Wesley, Fayetteville	1,709.33
Rent: R. C. Sharpe	45.00
District Advance: H. W. Phillips	427.75
Executive Secy., Douglas Moore	125.00
Delegate Expenses, A. W. Stowe	13.00
Piedmont Office Supply	23.66
Youth Assembly, Bennett College	561.83
Com. on Town and Country: G. E. Hogue	84.04
Mrs. Edgar Love, (Africa)	175.00
Board of Temperance: W. S. McLeod	52.53
Winston District Evangelism: L. A. Brown	63.00
Executive Secy.: Douglas Moore	125.00
N. C. Conference Treasurer: J. W. Gwyn	3,798.51
Total Disbursement, September 29, 1958	$22,177.45

Signed: L. A. Brown
625 Asheboro St.
Greensboro, N. C.

FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT
BOARD OF PENSIONS

NORTH CAROLINA (CJ) ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Date of session June 11-15, 1958

Rate Paid $22.00

RECEIPTS

During 1957-58 to be distributed during 1958-59

Annual Conference Sources	
Balance Previous Year	$ 1,200.73
Pastoral Charges on Apportionment	15,026.78
Held by General Board of Pensions (Ill. Corporation)	1,381.02
Total Investment Income	1,381.02
General Board of Pensions	
Chartered Fund	80.00
Appropriation—Illinois Corporation	700.00
Other Items	
Methodist Publishing House	1,277.22
Ministers' Wives MRPF	4,706.75
Pledges MRPF	8,999.25
Total	$33,371.75

PROSPECTIVE DISBURSEMENTS

During 1958-59 of funds collected during 1957-58

Regular Conference Claimants	
(On Basis of Service)	
Retired Ministers	$ 7,729.00
Widows	6,732.00
Children	514.00
Total Regular Conference Claimants	14,975.00
Special Conference Claimants	
On Basis of Service	702.00
Total Special Conference Claimants	702.00
Other Items	
Payable to Clearinghouse	1,001.00
Ministers' Wives MRPF	4,706.75
Pledges MRPF	8,999.25
Trans. to MRPF	2,000.00
Retired	209.00
Prospective Balance	778.75
Total	$33,371.75

PROSPECTIVE STATEMENT

RETIRED MINISTERS

Year 1957-58 Annuity Rate $22.00; Conference; North Carolina (C

NAME	Total Years Approved	N. Car. Years	N. Car. Annuity	Other Years	Other Annuity	Total Annuity	Annuity Supply
Burge, Benj. L.	44½	44½	979			979	
Davis, H. A.	28	28	616			616	
Frost, Evangelist	11¾	11¾	259			259	165
Gleaves, Benj. F.	33¾	33¾	743			743	
Ledwell, James H.	18	18	396			396	
Lomax, Walter T.	46	46	1012			1012	
McLeod, Edward M.	29¾	29¾	655			655	44
Shuford, John W.	38½	38½	847			847	
Skeen, David C.	36	36	792			792	
Williams, D. Arthur	21	21	462			462	
Winchester, Robert W.	44	44	968			968	
TOTAL	351¼	351¼	7729			7729	209

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION

WIDOWS

Year 1958-59 Annuity Rate $15.40; Conference: North Carolina (CJ

NAME	Widows App'ved Years	N. Car.		Other		Total Annuity
		Years	Annuity	Years	Annuity	
Alford, James L.	5¾	5¾	89			89
Ashe, Hugh L.	½	½	8			8
Brown, Beverly	13¾	13¾	212			212
Campt, Lowell M.	3¾	3¾	58			58
Fink, Henry	6	6	92			92
Gannaway, Herbert, C.	18	18	277			277
Hall, J. W.	26¾	26¾	412			412
Hill, Dock A.	5½	5½	85			85
Houston, Holton H.	4½	4½	69			69
Howard, Charles E.	7¼	7¼	112			112
Isham, John H.	7¼	7¼	112			112
Johnson, Peter F.	40	40	616			616
Jones, Henry	13½	13½	208			208
Jones, John W.	8¾	8¾	135			135
Jones, M. M.	33¼	33¼	512			512
Kirkland, George D.	3	3	46			46
Laughlin, James A.	27	27	416			416
Laughlin, Marcus C.	24¾	24¾	381			381
Peace, Samuel F. B.	41½	41½	639			639
Peeler, S. A.	39½	39½	608			608
Robinson, Avery E.	10¼	10¼	158			158
Rush, J. C.	28½	28½	439			439
Simpson, John W.	8¼	8¼	127			127
Weatherby, R. T.	38¾	27¾	427	11	108	535
Webb, Prince W.	8½	8½	131			131
Wells, John W.	34	22	339	12	113	452
Wells, Pinkney I.	7	7	108			108
Wooten, Thomas H.	22¾	22¾	350			350
TOTAL	445	422	6500	23	232	6732

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION

SPECIAL CONFERENCE CLAIMANTS

Year 1958-59 Conference: North Carolina (CJ)

Annuity Rates: Retired $11.00; Widows $7.70; Children $2.75

Ministers	Years	Annuity
McCorkle, T. D.	14	154
Rush, E. A.	26¾	294
McNair, Mrs. Henry	33	254
TOTAL	40¾	448

STATEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE DISTRIBUTION

CHILDREN

Year 1958-59 Annuity Rate $5.50; Conference: North Carolina (CJ)

Name of Mother or Guardian Name of Child	Age	Father's Apr'v'd Years	N. Car. Years	N. Car. Annuity	Total Annuity
Campt, Mrs. L. M. Sylvia Jean	18	3¾	3¾	21	21
Hill, Mrs. Dock A. Linda Estella	10	21¼	21¼	117	117
Hill, Mrs. Dock A. Carolyn Matilda	7	21¼	21¼	117	117
Hill, Mrs. Dock A. Jackgulyn Arphfathia	6	21¼	21¼	117	117
Penn, Mrs. Amy W. Mary Jane Williams (2 Quarters)	20	11¼	11¼	31	31
Stewart, Miss Ann Benjamin W., Jr.	12	20¼	20¼	111	111
TOTAL		99	99	514	514

FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORT
BOARD OF PENSIONS
NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

June 4-7, 1959

AVAILABLE FOR 1958-1959 DISTRIBUTION

Balance after 1957-'58 Distribution	$ 1,283.08
Received from Charges on apportionment	16,121.00
Received from Board of Pensions, Interest on Permanent Fund	1,462.25
Received from Board of Pensions, Chartered Fund	80.00
Received from Board of Pensions, On Appropriation	700.00
Received from The Methodist Publishing House	1,272.85
TOTAL	$20,919.18

CONFERENCE RESPONSIBILITIES

For services in this conference 627 yrs., rate of $25.00	$15,675.00
For services in other conferences	475.00
Due Clearinghouse	1,515.00
Due Special Conference Claimants	800.00
Transferred to MRPF	2,000.00
TOTAL	$20,465.00

Prospective Balance	$ 454.18
Permanent Fund	$32,494.52
Stabilization Fund	$21,166.43

Temporary Reserve Pension Fund:

In Chicago Office	$47,083.66
Treasurers Report (1958-'59)	$11,572.00
Ministers' Wives (Additional)	
TOTAL	$58,655.65

MAINTENANCE RECEIVED AND DISBURSED

1958-1959

North West Greensboro, Rev. F. D. Caldwell	$ 400.00
Shady Grove and Cox Chapel, Rev. C. G. Bynum	335.00
Mt. Tabor, Rev. J. W. Shuford	150.00
Wesley Chapel and Chapel Hill, Rev. W. E. Hairston	300.00
Asbury-Durham, Rev. Douglas Moore	500.00
Newport News, Rev. E. A. Williams	600.00
Kernersville, Rev. W. T. Lomax	400.00
Hoffman, Rev. John McEachin	400.00
Philadelphia, Rev. I. A. Friend	625.00
New Church at Charlotte, Rev. B. L. Burge	500.00
Walls Chapel, Rev. Miles Murphy	333.32
Franklin, Rev. A. W. Stowe	150.00
Gastonia, Rev. J. T. Jones	400.00
Moorsville, Rev. J. Q. Dula	200.00
West Asheville, Rev. Willie Leazer	700.00
Philadelphia, Rev. S. B. McBrayer	275.00
Forest City, Rev. C. L. Gidney	300.00
Catawba, Rev. R. H. McDowell	300.00

Elkin, Rev. Joseph Bethea	700.00
St. John Thomasville, Rev. W. J. Cameron	400.00
Mt. Pleasant, Rev. W. R. Crawford	150.00
Hoovers Chapel and Chestnut Grove, Rev. J. D. Ashford	500.00
Trinity, Rev. W. P. Cole	400.00
Rural Hall, Rev. P. G. Carter	500.00
GRAND TOTAL	$9,518.32

G. M. Phelps, Treas.

GREENSBORO DISTRICT RESERVE PENSION FUND

AMOUNT PAID ON PLEDGES 1958-1959

W. T. Brown	$ 100.00
Eugene Black	15.00
W. L. Napper	10.00
Mrs. Margaret Minor	25.00
J. E. Brower	150.00
C. M. Winchester	150.00
W. R. Royster	28.00
G. M. Phelps	100.00
G. H. Caldwell	50.00
John G. Corry	100.00
W. E. Hairston	50.00
Mrs. Anna Hester	12.50
E. J. Jones	30.00
J. W. Shuford	50.00

REPORT OF THE AREA ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY

Bishop Love and Members of the Conference:

In making this—my seventh report to the Annual Conferences of the Baltimore Area, I must say, first, a word of profound gratitude to all those who have contributed in any way in making my work most enjoyable and challenging. In a measure this means not only Bishop Love, with whom I am directly associated, but his Area Cabinet—the 18 district superintendents of our conferences, the conference officers, the pastors, and the laymen of our church, including the thousands I have never met or ever seen.

It is, of course, this feeling of oneness among us, despite our widespread territory, which enriches our total program and which strengthens our fellowship.

We urge support of the two major projects which will be presented by our office this year:

1. The Area Ministers' Wives Retreat, to be held at the Morgan Christian Center, July 15-18. Because of the unprecedented success of last year's retreat for the women of the Delaware and Washington Conferences, the ladies almost unanimously requested that the retreat be enlarged this year to embrace the entire area.

It will doubtless be necessary for the women of the East Tennessee and North Carolina Conferences to come in car pools as a matter of economy. They should thus make travel plans early. Advance registration of $2.00 must be in the area office by July 1st.

2. The bi-quadrennial Area Council will meet October 7-9, in John Stewart Church, Bluefield, West Virginia. Offical delegates are listed in the Area Council by-laws, found in the journals of each Annual Conference.

Superintendents are requested to see that pastoral delegates representing the various districts are elected as soon as practicable after the Annual Conferences.

The Council will meet for the first time within the bounds of the East Tennessee Conference. Because of the travel distance, all delegates must come in car pools, if at all possible. Superintendents are requested to plan such pools from their respective districts by July 31, so that the delegation can be determined before the August vacation month.

We recommend that Sunday, June 28, be observed as **Baltimore Area Messenger Day** in our churches, and that each pastor be requested to report a minimum of five subscriptions for the paper during the week following. Promotional materials will be sent each charge from the Area Office.

Respectfully submitted,
Daniel Lyman Ridout
Area Secretary

April, 1959

REPORT OF CONFERENCE LAY LEADER

Bishop Love, members of this 101st Annual Conference, and my dear Christian friends.

May I first thank each and every layman, pastor and member within the bounds of our jurisdiction for the support and cooperation and counsel rendered in behalf of the Board of Lay Activities this past year. Your support is ever required and most graciously desired.

During the past year, I have visited every district in the conference and have responded to every request where feasibly possible, to promote the work of the Laity in the North Carolina Conference.

We must view our results during the past year as we would a field of grain. Did we plant and did we harvest? What was the ratio? What was the yield? What was the result? Our task is a great one and our challenge is tremendous. But if we are strong and willing we will face up to our task.

Let us look at some facts and pose some further questions. These facts and statistics are revealing for our future growth.

There are 95 charges in the North Carolina Conference.

There are 55 methodist men's clubs.

There are 60 non-charted clubs

There are 13,912 members in the North Carolina Conference women and children included. Let us assume 1/5 of this number are men. That would be 2,782 or 2,800 men in the North Carolina Conference.

There are men to be won. There are needs to be met. How well we do our job depends on how well we plan and how well we follow the plan.

For the first time Methodist membership is not keeping up with the growth of the U. S. population. Why? What's happening? My answer is that the General Church program is not being carried out on the local church level.

The job to be done must be and can only be effective in the local church, we are here to report and plan but the job has to be done or undone at the local church. We don't do the job here. We leave here to do a job at the local level.

The laymen must be concerned and help to answer such problems as:
Are our ministers declining in number?
Are our ministers declining in quality?
Are the requirements of the church too high for us?
What will be the outcome?
Have we stopped to project ourselves into the future?

What will be required of us in 1965-75? Will we have a plan or will we be like topsy? Will our church be able to administer the spiritual needs of the time?

A 5 year plan at least is the shortest plan we can afford. One forward progressive project would be: Every District securing a parsonage.

The prospects of a better ministerial quorum haunts us to the bitter end. We stand by and see our ministerial numbers declining and we cry, crying is good, it shows a concern; but tears will not solve this problem, recuiting is the answer here. The Laymen feel that the Reserve Pension Fund will aid greatly in this program. The Laymen gaze and are amazed at the attitude of some of the ministers in this connection, ministers that condemn this program and refuse to cooperate with it. We pray that the ultimate success that we are sure to have will challenge the minister to put forth the necessary efforts to keep it a-foot.

My brothers, we must awaken to our responsibility and put on a new armor of enthusiasm, a new spiritual concern. Our program must be one that we can point to with pride and the knowledge that this we do is building the kingdom of God at home and abroad; this we do must be revealing that this is a fellowship, a brotherhood that is worthy of all our commendation and a rewarding belief that God Almighty is also proud.

The Church Builders Club offers also a Challenge that the laymen of North Carolina will endeavor to accept. All our strength and will must be behind this movement. Our efforts this year have not been too good, but we believe that we can do this job and with your help and God's mercy we have no fear for the outcome.

Are we accepting the changes that progress necessitates? Are other denominations doing a better job than we are because they are servicing better, ministering better and helping the people to face life's problems better through spiritual guidance?

In 1916 the North Carolina Conference had 13,753 members, last year 13,900; these figures are taken from your minutes. 159 increase in 43 years.

Let us not fool ourselves, let's look this situation squarely in the face. Where we have progressed let us be thankful, where we have failed, let us admit it. Let us acknowledge a fact of life, anything that is not growing is dying, and it's up to us to choose our weapon.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That the 5th Sunday be and is hereby declared as District meeting Sunday.

2. That each District set up a building program for the purchase of a District Parsonage.

3. That renewed emphasis be put on the Church Builders Club project.

4. That every Church, (not charge) have a Chartered Methodist Men's Club.

5. That the laymen assist in recruiting Christian Vocational Workers, and further that each charge attempt to recruit a Christian Vocational worker during the year.

REPORT ON TOWN AND COUNTRY COMMISSION

Bishop Edgar A. Love, and Members of the 101 Annual Cinference (C. J.) Greeting:

The Commission on Town and Country this year have not done as much as it desired, however, we are hoping of a few projects this year, such as the "Lord's Acre" and increase on the "Lord's Hour" which has been much help in supporting the local church financial program. We had hoped by this time that every charge would have had a chairman on "Lord's Acre" and "Lord's Hour". This kind of program has worked in a fine way in many a charge.

We also urge for another year the Five Point Program to be selected from the Twelve Point Program as (1) to the following, "To Assist Methodist Couples to Find Places on Farms and other Occupations in the rural charges, (2) To provide Religious Services For Isolated Groups and Families and New Unchurch Communities, (3) To Strengthen the Program of Christian Education in The Local Church, (4) To Urge the Adoption of an Adequate Salary Plan in each Annual Conference (5) To help to Create in Our Ministry a Deeper Sense of Mission and Evangelism. And that these be stressed in each Quarterly Conference this next Conference year.

And that the Town and Country hold one-day Town and Country Convocation on each district in the month of October of this year. And that each Superintendent help to plan these meetings.

Our Town and Country will have their National Conference in Wichita, Kansas, July 21-24, 1959. We have also registrated 3 delegates from this Conference.

We are hoping on our return that we will be so inspired that many a Town and Country Program will be set up in many of our town and rural churches.

Yours in His Name,
G. E. Hogue
Chairman on Town and Country
Commission

REPORT ON TELEVISION, RADIO, AND FILM COMMISSION

Bishop Edgar A. Love, Ministers and Delegates of the N. C. Conference, C. J. Greeting:

We are happy to report that more than 200 Broadcasting Stations are carrying our program "TALK BACK AND CHILDREN PROGRAM." But most of these stations come on at hours when so many of our people are at church, and we have a few to come on on Saturday. We must admit that these are very good programs for the local church to hear and take back to their local congregations.

But we have not done anything about these programs in our Conferences as the white conferences have done.

One of the main reasons is that when we were in Nashville, Tenn. at the training session for three days, and at the close of the meeting, we were to all have our pictures taken, and the whole group of white people refused to let us be on the pictures, and they said if we would not do anything about it we would be selected to appear on the Raleigh program as soon as the station accepted the program. And we have not heard from them since.

However, we have been using their prints and started them around to some of the churches, but this picture has not returned to me so others may use it. We are very much disappointed with the program. It seems it is only for the white man.

We would like for this Conference to advise us on this matter.

Yours in This Work,

G. E. Hogue
Chairman on the TV-Radio Program

DELEGATES TO THE TRAINING CONFERENCE

Rev. Miles Murphy
Rev. James McCallum
Mrs. L. A. Thompson
Rev. G. E. Hogue

THE MINISTERS' WIVES' REPORT

The Ministers' Wives of the North Carolina Conference presented their financial report for pension fund in program form on June 6, 1959, Mrs. S. L. Townsend, presiding.

The program was as follows:

Prelude

Song—"God of Grace"

Prayer—Mrs. P. G. Carter

Necrology—Mrs. R. M. Patterson

Mrs. Patterson dressed a small table with a basket of white gladiolas and two white candles. The gladiolas symbolized our sympathy for our departing members as she paid tribute to those in name she lighted the candles in memory of Mrs. P. I. Wells who passed during the month of April, and Mrs. R. D. Sharpe, during the month of May. After the lighting of candles commemorating each passing, the audience joined us in singing "There Is A Land of Pure Delight," after the song Mrs. Patterson prayed this prayer:

> Our Father, we pray that Thou wilt keep in tender love the lives which we shall hold in blessed memory. Help us who continue here to serve Thee with constancy trusting in thy promise of eternal life that hereafter we may be united with thy blessed children in glory everlasting. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Song—"Stand Up For Jesus"

Presentation of flowers by Mrs. R. W. Winchester

Mrs. Love also received a corsage from the Ministers' Wives group along with the retired and deceased Ministers' wives.

The retired ministers' wives present were as follows:

Mrs. J. W. Shuford
Mrs. P. F. Johnson
Mrs. R. W. Winchester
Mrs. J. W. Simpson
Mrs. P. F. Gleaves

Wives of deceased ministers were:
Mrs. T. H. Wooten
Mrs. J. C. Rush
Mrs. Bethea
Mrs. W. M. Gannaway
Introduction of speaker—Mrs. C. M. Mayfield
Speaker—Mrs. J. C. Rush
"Retired Ministers' Wives"
Chorus—Ministers' wives, music by Mrs. W. P. Cole
Presentation of the new ministers' wives. They were: Mrs. C. E. Tyson, Mrs. R. H. McDowell, Mrs. Joseph Bethea.
Roll call by Districts

Greensboro District	$1,375.00
Laurinburg District	507.00
Winston District	1,607.00
Western District	1,295.00
TOTAL	$4,784.00

Remarks by Bishop Love
Song—"Work For The Night Is Coming"

WESTERN DISTRICT

Mrs. J. T. Jones	$ 70.00
Mrs. R. D. Sharpe	50.00
Mrs. B. L. Burge	100.00
Mrs. O. S. Devenport	100.00
Mrs. Charles Tyson	100.00
Mrs. J. Q. Dula	105.00
Mrs. S. L. Townsend	100.00
Mrs. C. O. Hill	100.00
Mrs. M. S. Laughlin	100.00
Mrs. G. W. Patterson	40.00
Mrs. C. W. Bailey	50.00
Mrs. B. J. Dula	25.00
Mrs. A. W. Stowe	133.00
Mrs. H. W. Phillips	100.00
Mrs. Daisy Johnson	100.00
Mrs. M. M. McCallum	50.00
Mrs. C. R. Gidney	25.00
Rev. O. E. Robinson	20.00
Mrs. R. H. McDowell	5.00
Mrs. W. L. Leazer	5.00
Mrs. John Bowman	5.00
Mrs. D. S. Harkness	50.00

GREENSBORO DISTRICT

Mrs. J. W. Hall (Wife of deceased minister)	$ 10.00
Mrs. A. S. Peace (Wife of deceased minister)	10.00
Mrs. Beverly Brown (Wife of deceased minister)	10.00
Mrs. W. E. Hairston	10.00
Mrs. W. T. Lomax	15.00

Mrs. J. H. Minor	20.00
Mrs. R. W. Winchester (Wife of deceased minister)	25.00
Mrs. Eugene Black	30.00
Mrs. W. N. Johnson	30.00
Mrs. E. J. Jones	35.00
Mrs. R. M. Martin	35.00
Mrs. L. W. Coltrane	37.00
Mrs. J. W. Shuford	40.00
Mrs. T. C. Tarpley	50.00
Mrs. C. G. Bynum	60.00
Mrs. G. Haven Caldwell	103.00
Mrs. W. L. Napper	75.00
Mrs. F. D. Morehead	80.00
Mrs. J. E. Brower	100.00
Mrs. G. M. Phelps	100.00
Mrs. F. D. Caldwell	100.00
Mrs. Liston Sellers	100.00
Mrs. J. G. Corry	100.00
Mrs. O. W. Burwick	100.00
Mrs. W. T. Brown	100.00
TOTAL	$1,332.00
	43.00
	1,375.00
Mrs. C. A. Peeler	10.00
	$1,385.00

WINSTON DISTRICT

Mrs. J. H. Jones	$ 75.00
Mrs. J. W. Jones	100.00
Mrs. Joseph B. Bethea	138.00
Mrs. W. S. McLeod	111.00
Mrs. J. J. Patterson	100.00
Mrs. G. A. Brooks	40.00
Mrs. H. A. Smith	100.00
Mrs. L. B. Eldridge	36.00
Mrs. Otto Withers	20.00
Mrs. Buford Miller	25.00
Mrs. P. G. Carter	100.00
Rev. J. D. Ashford	55.00
Mrs. W. J. Cameron	80.00
Mrs. W. P. Cole	172.00
Mrs. W. R. Crawford	105.00
Mrs. R. F. McCallum	50.00
Mrs. J. W. Gwyn	100.00
Mrs. L. M. Mayfield	100.00
Mrs. L. A. Brown	100.00
TOTAL	$1,607.00

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Mrs. O. M. Graham	$
Mrs. C. C. Strickland	60.00
John Wesley Methodist Church	50.00
Mrs. D. H. McLean	5.00
Mrs. D. R. McGirt	2.00
Mrs. John McEachern	10.00

Mrs. J. H. McCallum	50.00
Mrs. G. E. Hogue	25.00
Mrs. J. W. Ferree	50.00
Mrs F. F. McCallum	15.00
Mrs. J. F. Sawyer	10.00
Rev. A. H. Douglas	25.00
Rev. J. H. Shivers	
Mrs. Walter Davis	10.00
Rev. R. C. Sharpe	30.00
Rev. Miles Murphy	5.00
Mrs. Alto Webb	7.00
Mrs. Th. Wooten	62.00
Mrs. John Monroe	5.00
Mrs. B. F. Gleaves	25.00
Mrs. J. L. Alford	10.00
District Conference	16.00
TOTAL	$ 472.00

DEPARTMENT OF RESEARCH AND SURVEYS

BALTIMORE AREA

Bishop Edgar A. Love and Conferences of the Area:

The service of Research and Surveys of the Area Office submit to you its report for the Conference Year 1958-59. It has been our privilege to provide service in the following:

1. To make two (2) confidential reports for Bishop Edgar A. Love covering certain items in the North Carolina Washington and East Tennessee Conferences. These matters required very careful research and study so that we could be sure that they were correct.

2. Two research field trips were made to Norfolk, Va. to study the possibility of securing the Memorial Methodist in Norfolk for the use of Negro Methodists. This church would have been within the bounds of the North Carolina Conference. The field is ripe but Conference dollars are few, we could not bring our hopes to fruition.

3. Made a study of, and, recommended that the Washington Conference acquire the Branch Memorial Methodist Church, Richmond District, Virginia Conference to become a church in the Washington Conference as an appointment in the Virginia Washington District. The growing Negro population of the Virginia Capital cannot be served by two Methodist Churches. I have a feeling that further study in Richmond will show that we ought to relocate Leigh St. Memorial Church. The Urban Renewal and Housing have plans in that area of the City that will effect the status of the Church.

A Church Department of this kind has many contacts with similar type agencies. It has been a pleasure to attend the following Conferences, and serve on the Committees and Commissions:

1. Regional meeting of the American Society of Planning Officials New York City week-end of October 16-18, 1958.

2. Washington-Delaware Conference on Missions, Morgan State College, Baltimore, Md., July 15-18, 1958. Served as consultant on Urban Life as it effects the Church.
3. Attended All Day Conference on "The Role of The Church in Urban Renewal" held under the auspices of the Council of Churches and the Baltimore Urban Renewal and Housing Authority, April 8, 1959 in Brown Memorial Presbyterian Church, Baltimore, Md.
4. Attended Annual Meeting of Md. State Conference of Social Welfare Goucher College, Towson, Md., May 7, 1959.

During the Conference Year served as a member of the Following Boards and Commissions:

1. Board of Missions—Washington Conference
2. Commission on Town and Country Life—Washington Conference
3. Comity Commission—Council of Churches for Md. and Delaware.
4. Comity Commission—National Capital Council of Churches
5. Department of Urban Church—National Council of Churches, U. S. A.
6. National Probation and Paroloe Association
7. National Conference of Social Work
8. American Society of Planning Officials
9. Executive Board Baltimore Branch, N.A.A.C.P.
10. Md. State Conference of Social Welfare

Recommendations:

1. That the Conference Boards of Missions in each of the four Conferences, study carefully their Urban and Rural territories and map out plans to meet the needs of missions and Church extensions within their bounds. Also to know and understand that each Conference give its Board of Missions ample funds to carry on a program of Church Extension both Urban and Rural. We are missing too many opportunities because the lay people are not made aware of the needs, and, therefore have not given the needed money. We can no longer depend on the National Board of Missions to provide money.
2. We must restudy our whole Town and Country Program so that we can meet the needs of the people living there to be served by our Methodist Church. We must love living people more than Church Grave yards. This will mean a full program to serve Children, Youth and Adults. It will also mean that some of our weak Circuits will have a full time Resident Minister and not a "Suit Case Pastor." It may mean for some, a Group Ministry of a real Larger Parish with Staff. The Methodist Church must always look and plan wisely, for a Rural and Town Ministry to meet present day needs.
3. That the several Annual Conferences select proper persons, both lay and Ministerial to represent them at the forthcoming Conference on Town and Country Work in July, 1959.

Appreciation:

My work could not have been done without a word of thanks to the following persons and groups:

1. Bishop Edgar A. Love, Resident Bishop of the Baltimore Area
2. Rev. D. L. Ridout, Administrative Assistant of the Area and Staff
3. To the District Superintendents of the several Conferences for their kindness and cooperation
4. To the agencies of the cities, State and National Government for material, staff time and cooperation
5. To God for life, health and wisdom to labor in his name for the Church.

Respectfully submitted,
(Rev.) Samuel M. Carter, Director
Research and Surveys
Baltimore Area—Methodist Church

REPORT OF THE WESLEY FOUNDATION

A. AND T. COLLEGE
GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA

The Wesley Foundation at A. and T. College proceeded this year under the organization that was set up last year. The year proved to be a fairly successful one.

Two study groups were organized which met weekly on Mondays and Wednesdays. The first of these groups was "Essentials of Christian Doctrine," the purpose of which was to acquaint the students with the basic tenets of the Christian faith. The other study course was "Christian Ethics." In this group we endeavored to expose the students to a historical acquaintance with Christian ethics, showing how Christianity has affected the culture of the world during the last nineteen hundred years. Particular emphases were placed upon the code of conduct for Christians in our modern day world. Student participation in both of these groups was encouraging and inspiring.

Aside from the study-groups. worship services were held every first and third Sunday at Browning Chapel Methodist Church. The first Sunday services consisted of a Communion service and meditation. The third Sunday consisted of a meditation service and fellowship hour.

Two delegates were sent to the Leadership Training School held at Camp New Hope, near Chapel Hill. Five delegates were sent to the State Methodist Student Movement Conference held at Winston-Salem.

One of the highlights of the year was a communion-fellowship hour held jointly with the Wesley Foundation of North Carolina College at Durham.

One of the greatest obstacles confronting an effective Wesley Foundation program at A. and T. College was the lack of proper financial support. Our conference has not yet become aware of the need for a Methodist organization on our state and independent college campus. Only two churches in our entire conference paid the full thirty cents (.30) per member for the support of Wesley Foundations, as requested by the General Conference.

We need, then, to become awakened to the necessity of having Methodism confront the youth on our state and independent college campus. We either confront them with Methodism or lose them to paganism or other denominations: The choice is ours:

Respectfully submitted,

John G. Corry, Director
Wesley Foundation
A. and T. College
Greensboro, North Carolina

ANNUAL REPORT
EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

Methodism historic commitment to the proposition that knowledge and piety are inseperable, mutually accommodating each other, finds expression today through the board of education. As an integral part of the Methodist Church, we have the responsibility to promote and sustain the union of knowledge and piety. In consultation and cooperation with the General Board of Education and under the supervision of the North Carolina Conference Board of Education, the executive secretary and the voluntary teams on each district have worked to make the interaction of education and religious experience a co-herent whole.

We have promoted the program of the Church with the resources that we have at our disposal. Our program at this stage of development is concentrated in the summer months. At this time we have most of our leadership enterprises. However, this also means that prior planning has taken place in Greensboro, Baltimore, Winston-Salem and Nasheville. Last summer in our several leadership conferences we had our largest attendance in the history of the conference. In our Area Leadership School were 22 persons as over against 16 last year. In our School of Mission we had 85 an increase from last year. At our young people's assembly we had 168 person and increase of 52. Our district youth institutes on the Winston, Western and Greensboro Districts have been well attended and well planned. On the Western District we had a good Christian Workers School for three days with an enrollment of 55. The Western District had more people taking part in all of our leadership enterprises than any other district. They have come from the bottom to the top.

In the interest of the work of the conference, the executive secretary attended the Board of Managers of the Baltimore Area Pastor's School meeting in Baltimore, attended the annual meeting of executive secretaries in Nasheville, attended the annual meeting of the Inter-conference Commission on student work in Durham.

This year stress has been placed on our Wesley Foundation work at A. and T. and NCC Colleges. There are two reasons for this: one is the quadrennial emphasis on higher education and second the special need of our annual conference. Prior to our administration, there was not an organized student program on our state college campuses. Now we have two organized and functioning foundations with elective boards of directors. At a latter time we shall hear from one of our students on the campus work.

The foundations are important to the North Carolina Conference for a number of reasons. The first one is that the foundaton is the Church away from home for our students. Here the foundation keeps the vital touch with the students who will be future local church leaders. The Church through the foundation makes its claim for the complete loyalty of the students for the cause of Christ. The other gods of the campus make their claim and we as stewards of these young people are duty bound to present the call of the church.

The second reason the foundation is important is that the seed bed for our ministerial and missionary recruitment is there. Because of the high academic requirement for entering the Methodist ministry, the work of the foundation is indispensable to the North Carolina Annual Conference. We can no longer look for recruits who have not finished college. Here are some interesting figures about our conference ministerial membership. Out of 59 ministers in full connection 22 are seminary graduates; 14 are college graduates; 4 attended college and 19 have no college training. In 10 years 6 of the 22 seminary men will retire, 5 of the 14 college graduates, 2 of the 4 that attended colleges and 10 of those who have no college education. This will be a total of 23 men that we will lose through retirement in the next ten years and of course no one knows how many of us will sleep the deep sleep before that time. With higher academic requirements and the impending retirement of half of our men, we will face a critical shortage of ministers which will mean that we will have to rely on supply preachers. One of the major and best ways for us to face this crises is to develop our foundations on state college campuses. Whereas conferences in South Carolina, Florida, Arkansas, Texas, Georgia and other states have co-ed colleges to feed their conferences with ministers, we do not; therefore, we must work on the state college campuses.

And finally, if we are to fulfill our obligation to the Church in supplying missionaries, we must work on the college campus. It is easier in some respects to become a Methodist minister than it is to become a missionary. The requirements are high and there are no "supply" missionaries. The call and need for persons of high visibility are great. There is no other place to get missionaries other than the college campus.

In behalf of all of those who work with the board of education, I wish to thank you for your increased giving to Methodist Student Day, Church School Rally Day and the Wesley Foundations.

CONFERENCE BOARD OF TEMPERANCE

Rev. S. L. Townsend, convened the committee upon the request of Bishop Love, in the absence of Rev. W. S. McLeod, who is ill, also it was the request of Rev. McLeod, that the committee elect S. L. Townsend, the chairman, and this was done.

A MEMORIAL TO THE 1960 GENERAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH

FROM THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF JOHN STREET METHODIST CHURCH, NEW YORK, N. Y.

(The Trustees of John Street Methodist Church are elected by and are directly responsible to the General Conference by the terms and under the authority of a CHARTER enacted in 1866 by the Legislature of the State of New York, and approved and accepted by the 1868 General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. The said CHARTER declares: "At any regular session or meeting of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States, said general conference shall elect a Board of Trustees, not exceeding nine in number, to be trustees of said corporation (John Street Church), and to holld this office until the next session of the general conference, and until their successors are elected, as aforesaid." And—"The business and affairs of the corporation hereby created shall be managed by a board of trustees, not exceeding nine in number, but the acts of said trustees as such shall be subject at all times and subordinate to the directions and instructions of said general conference relative thereto.")

WHEREAS the formal organzation of Methodism in America was first achieved in the establishment of a Class and Society of Methodists in the City of New York in the fall of 1766;

AND WHEREAS the recognition and celebration of the Centenary of American Methodism in 1866 was provided for by several actions of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church at its regular sessions in 1856, 1860 and 1864, whereby committees with power were designated, detailed plans formulated and carried out upon a denomination-wide basis;

AND WHEREAS the original New York Methodist Society has continued across almost two centuries in the vital and intensely active work maintained upon the property at John Street, New York City, that was secured in 1768, this John Street Methodist Church being the only church of the denomination to stand directly under the control of the General Conference by virtue of the aforesaid CHARTER of the Legislature of the State of New York, as accepted by the 1868 General Conference, and continuously observed by every General Conference since that date;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of John Street Methodist Church, New York City, elected to this office by the 1956 General Conference, do hereby petition the 1960 General Conference as follows:

To designate a Commission of the General Conference, with power, to formulate plans for the appropriate recognition and celebration in 1966 of the BI-CENTENARY OF AMERICAN METHODISM, which will occur, and to report said plans in detail to the 1964 General Conference for the consideration and action of that body.

For the Board of Trustees of John Street Methodist Church, New York City,

Arthur Bruce Moss,
Recorder for the Trustees.

Done at the Annual Meeting
of the Board of Trustees
of John Street Methodist Church,
New York, N. Y.,
January 12, 1959.

The Committee on Memorials to The General Conference after due consideration concur in the foregoing Memorial and recommend its adoption.

Clarence M. Winchester Chairman
Robert C. Erwin, Secretary

MEMORIAL TO THE GENERAL CONFERENCE

FROM THE CONFERENCE COMMISSION
ON CHRISTIAN HIGHER EDUCATION
OF THE NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

We the members of the Commission on Christian Higher Education of the North Carolina Annual Conference respectfully memorialize the General Conference of The Methodist Church to consider the following:

Whereas, the Discipline of 1956 provides in paragraph 1442: "The board (education) shall be responsible for developing and promoting . . . all institutions of higher education related to the conference, Wesley Foundations and Methodist Student Movement";

Whereas, the total work of Christian education should, as far as possible, be unified on the conference level and in the approach to the local church;

Whereas, the administration, promotion and financing of the cause of Christian education would be more effective if carried on by one agency in the conference;

Whereas, the welfare of our students in institutions of higher education is one with that of pupils in our local church schools;

Therefore, be it resolved that we request the General Conference to eliminate the Conference Commission on Christian Higher Education, and give the Conference Board of Education the functions of the now existing commission on Christian Higher Education.

Be it further resolved, that, the functions of the now existing commission be the responsibility of a committee to the Board of Education, known as the Committee on Christian Higher Education.

May 15, 1959

The Committee on Memorials To The General Conference after due consideration concur in the foregoing Memorial and recommend its adoption.

C. M. Winchester, Chairman
R. C. Erwin, Secretary

RESOLUTION PROPOSING MEMORIAL

TO BE PRESENTED TO THE 1960 GENERAL CONFERENCE OF THE METHODIST CHURCH

WHEREAS, in The Methodist Church, a large number of pastoral appointments are served by Approved Supply Pastors, and in many Annual Conferences these Pastors constitute a substantial proportion of the total appointments;

And, WHEREAS, under paragraph 622 of the Discipline of The Methodist Church, Approved Supply Pastors, serving pastoral appointments, shall be seated in the Annual Conference session, with privilege of speaking on any question, but without vote, unless by a three-fourths vote of the Annual Conference at its opening session, such Approved Supply Pastors are permitted to vote on all matters coming before the Conference, except those dealing with ordination, character and conference relations of ministers, and the election of lay and ministerial delegates to the General and Jurisdictional Conferences;

And, WHEREAS, the extension of the privilege of voting as outlined in paragraph 622 of the Discipline, in actual practice is not often accomplished;

And, WHEREAS, by this lack of privilege of voting by Approved Supply Pastors, the pastoral appointments represented thereby are denied the right of their Pastor's vote on many matters affecting such pastoral appointments;

And, WHEREAS, Lay Members of an Annual Conference have the right to vote on all matters coming before the Conference, except those relating to ordination, character and conference relations of ministers;

Now, Therefore, BE IT RESOLVED, That each Annual Conference of The Methodist Church be requested to submit to the General Conference of 1960 a Memorial, petitioning change in paragraph 622 of the Discipline, so that it shall read: "Approved Supply Pastors who are in charge of pastoral appointments shall be seated in the Annual Conference Session, with the privilege of speaking on any question, and voting on any question except that such Approved Supply Pastors shall not vote on any matter dealing with ordination, character or conference relations of ministers, and the election of lay and ministerial delegates to the General and Jurisdictional Conferences."

Submitted for consideration by
THE PHILADELPHIA LOCAL PREACHERS' ASSOCIATION
Charles W. Urbanski, Secretary,
201 West Brookhaven Road
Chester, Pennsylvania

The Committee on Memorials to The General Conference after due consideration concur in the foregoing Memorial and recommend its adoption.

C. M. Winchester, Chairman
R. C. Erwin, Secretary

MEMORIAL TO THE 1960 GENERAL CONFERENCE METHODIST CHURCH

TITLES: THE METHODIST FEDERATION FOR SOCIAL ACTION. (Unofficial)

Whereas, uncertainty has existed concerning the status of the unofficial Methodist Federation for Social Action, resulting at one time in an unfortunate resolution (par. 2031—1952 Discipline), adopted without formal charges and an official hearing, and

Whereas, since that date, largely under new leadership, the Federation office has been moved, and the organization has maintained the objective authorized by the General Conference of 1908, and

Whereas, a factual and objective statement published in the "Discipline" in the manner of par. 2032 (1956 Discipline), should do much to prevent any future misunderstanding,

Therefore, Be it Resolved, that the General Conference of 1960 authorize the publication of the following paragraph in the 1960 Discipline as Paragraph 2033 or other properly numbered paragraph:

"The Methodist Federation for Social Action is an unofficial fellowship of members, organized as the Methodist Federation for Social Service in 1907, authorized by the General Conference in 1908 to call the attention of the church to the more important social issues, without committing The Methodist Church to the opinions expressed by the Federation."

The above originated in the bounds of the New York East Conference and will be submitted to the Committee of Memorials of that Conference for reference and action.

The Committee on Memorials to The General Conference after due consideration voted non-concurrence in the foregoing Memorial and recommend that the North Carolina Conference vote likewise.

C. M. Winchester, Chairman
Richard C. Erwin, Secretary

TITLE: BOARD OF PUBLICATION AND THE UNOFFICIAL METHODIST FEDERATION FOR SOCIAL ACTION

Whereas, the Methodist Federation for Social Action, organized as an unofficial fellowship as "Methodist Federation for Social Service" in 1907, was authorized by the General Conference in 1908 to call the attention of the church to the more important social issues, and

Whereas, such authorization has never been officially withdrawn by any General Conference, and

Whereas, however, the General Conference of 1952 affirmed that the public was confused concerning the Federation and that many members of the Methodist Church were embarrassed by certain pronouncements the Federation had made; and action by the Board of Publication in requesting termination of occupancy of quarters in the Methodist Building at 150 Fifth Avenue, N. Y. was approved, and

Whereas, The Federation did move its headquarters office to the Pacific coast and no evidence has been presented of continued confusion or embarrassment, and,

Whereas, the resolution of 1952 made no mention of advertising nor did it give any mandate to the Board of Publication in any respect save office space in the headquarters building, but that NEVERTHELESS, the Board of Publication has on two occasions refused to accept paid advertising, announcing meetings of the Federation, citing as authority the resolution of 1952,

Therefore, Be it Resolved that the General Conference of 1960 respectfully be requested to direct the Board of Publication to accept paid advertising of the Federation on the same terms as other organizations, societies, etc.

The above memorial is being offered to the Committee on Memorials of the New York East Annual Conference for presentation and action by the conference, by Loyd F. Worley.

The Committee on Memorials to The General Conference after due consideration voted non-concurence in the foregoing Memorial and recommend that the North Carolina Conference vote likewise.

C. M. Winchester, Chairman
R. C. Erwin, Secretary

ROLL OF DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE CONFERENCE
Our Promoted Fellow Workers

"These all died in the work and hope of Christ, receiving the end of their faith—the salvation of their souls."

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
1816	Henry E. Pope	1870	7	May 28, 1879 — Greensboro
1820	Mingo G. Groom	1874	7	March 17, 1881 — Wilmington
—	Geo. W. Price	1871	10	September 12, 1881 — Charlotte
—	Florad Waters	1875	7	March 29, 1883 — Maxton
1821	Matthews Alson	1870	14	April 1, 1884 — Greensboro
—	Nelson Farror	1871	4	January 9, 1887 — Raleigh
1816	James Payne	1878	9	April 1, 1888 — Greensboro
1825	A. M. Turner	1874	16	August, 1888 — Raleigh
—	Josiah Caldicut	1891	16	August 12, 1890 — Marion
—	Geo. W. Ratcliff	1891	..	1891 — Hickory
1830	W. W. Morgan	1872	27	September 16, 1882 — Kernersville
1825	Wilson Gray	1877	15	November, 1892 — Dobson
—	Thos. S. Sitt	1893	1	November, 1894 — Lexington
1839	W. W. Smith	1888	19	May 20, 1896 — Lexington
1835	Wiley C. Gibson	1875	23	November, 1898 — Hamlet
1826	Wyatt Walker	1871	26	May 20, 1900 — Reidsville
1846	O. Letterlough	1899	2	April 20, 1900 — Maxton
1940	C. Harshaw	1828	16	July 3, 1900 — Lenoir
1840	Samuel L. Johnson	1890	12	November 6, 1910 — Mount Airy
1818	Andrew Conner	1870	20	February 7, 1903 — McPelah
1854	M. C. Rogers	1889	22	July 24, 1903 — Salem
1941	John E. Champlain	1869	34	October 8, 1903 — High Point
1837	Isaac Wells	1870	37	February 28, 1907 — Greensboro
1846	Evander McDaniel	1889	18	August 8, 1907 — Townsville
1897	Jacob C. Price	1907	4	May 23, 1911 — Reidsville
1869	John M. McNeil	1902	9	August 5, 1911 — Rowland
—	D. L. Dixon	1910	2	November 18, 1912 — Statesville
1852	S. A. Gibson	1890	22	August 2, 1912 — High Point
1831	David Connell	1878	41	December 15, 1912 — Greensboro
1863	Alexander Clark	1887	26	June 15, 1913 — Greensboro
1869	John W. Davis	1893	21	April 14, 1914 — Laurinburg
—	L. G. McDonald	—	—	August, 1916 — Lamar, S. C.
—	Ellis Ellison	—	—	March 28, 1917 — Winston-Salem
—	Chas. W. Blaylock	1875	24	1917 — Greensboro
—	John C. Robbins	—	23	July 8, 1917 — Gastonia
1856	W. A. Pryor	—	22	August 25, 1918 — High Point
1857	F. L. Bost	1898	12	— Kernersville
1849	J. H. Hunter	1883	15	— Greensboro
1848	S. M. Hanes	1875	—	— Winston
1853	Samuel McDonald	1890	30	— Winston
1853	S. P. West	1882	38	January 22, 1921 — Oxford
1864	G. F. Hill	1888	—	February 26, 1920 — Old Fort
—	Henry Fink	—	6	—
1835	L. B. Gibson	—	6	March 26, 1822 — Greensboro
1844	W. P. Hayes	1888	16	August 28, 1922 — Maxton
1861	M. M. Jones	1891	34	March 9, 1925 — Greensboro
1872	J. A. Laughlin	1905	30	November 19, 1925 — Greensboro
—	J. H. Isham	—	—	September 21, 1927 — Rockingham

Born	Name		Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
	W. M. Crawford				November, 1927 — Winston
1838	Elisha Howard		1885		February, 1928 — Asheboro
1862	A. W. McMaster		1894	34	November, 1928 — Greensboro
1858	J. D. Murphy		1896	30	August, 1928 — Maxton
1881	A. D. McDonald		1920	9	1928 — Randolph
1848	Robert Smith		1886	50	January 30, 1930 — Brown Summit
1872	N. M. Martin		1906	24	February, 1930 — Asheville
1864	G. W. Brower		1892	39	1930 — High Point
1854	J. W. Jones		1898	32	1930 — Guilford
1878	C. E. Howard		1916	14	July 25, 1930 — Mocksville
1872	A. G. Jenkins		1905	25	September, 1930 — Charlotte
1870	E. D. Petty		1894	36	1930 — Chicago, Ill.
1853	E. H. Arthur		1887	44	November, 1931 — Greensboro
1861	J. P. Morris	1890	1800	41	May, 1931 — Greensboro
1869	N. S. T. Shambouger		1910	21	September, 1931 — Lumberton
1874	N. M. Black		1907	24	December 20, 1931 — Winston
	J. A. Cherry			16	May 10, 1932 — Hickory
1854	M. J. Bullock		1885	37	June 13, 1932 — Greensboro
1878	J. R. Dillard		1917	15	July 10, 1932 — Ramseur
1849	W. W. Pope		1883	37	July 22, 1932 — Winston
1896	G. T. Foley		1925	8	January 14, 1933 — High Point
1843	J. C. Addie		1894	32	May 2, 1933 — Hickory
1837	Daniel Brooks		1874	34	May 12, 1933 — High Point
1867	M. C. Laughlin		1811	12	July 17, 1933 — Greensboro
1852	J. D. Hairston		1885	28	October 23, 1933 — Goldsboro
1872	J. W. Wells		1889	32	January 18, 1934 — Greensboro
1864	J. H. Garrett		1882	21	February 9, 1935 — Reidsville
1852	A. H. Newsome		1883	52	September 30, 1935 — Greensboro
1868	W. R. Ziegler		1893	40	November 6, 1935 — Greensboro
1862	S. L. May		1880	52	August 8, 1936 — Thomasville
1875	S. J. Hayden		1903	33	October 11, 1936 — Seagrove
1877	Samuel H. Pdesley		1929	8	January 5, 1937 — Shelby
1882	Frank S. Abernathy		1930	7	1937 — Mooresville
1861	W. M. Chavis		1891	45	May 20, 1937 — Kernersville
1860	S. F. B. Peace		1891	46	December 14, 1937 — Greensboro
1860	W. B. Scales		1902	36	May 15, 1938 — Madison
	M. M. Patrick				May 23, 1938 — Greensboro
	P. J. Cook				July 28, 1938 — Greensboro
1863	D. H. Kearse		1921	19	September, 1938 — Winston-Salem
	P. F. Johnson		1898	39	December 27, 1938 — Hickory
	H. O. Fredrick				1939
	A. B. McQueen		1898		1940
1853	G. W. Morehead		1868	55	1940 — Greensboro
	R. T. Weatherby		1903	38	July 21, 1940 — Greensboro
1872	E. I. Swann		1914	27	1941 — Asheville
1882	Henry Jones		1829	13	1941 — Elkin
	J. R. McNair				1942 — Red Springs
1869	J. W. Simpson		1900	43	July 10, 1943 — Greensboro
1852	Marcus Munday		1888	39	1944 — Leaksville
1899	Coy N. Williams		1933	11	February, 1944 — Winston-Salem
1872	R. D. Bethea		1893	43	September 25, 1944 — New York
	C. D. Kirkland				Lincolnton
	W. M. Wells				February 12, 1946 — Laurinburg
	Dorsey McRae				Maxton
	J. C. Rush		1920	25	Winston-Salem

Born	Name	Admitted to Conference	Effective	When and Where Departed
	A. M. Robinson			1950
	B. E. Staten			1950
	W. O. Thomas			1950
	H. H. Houston			1951
	B. F. Thomas			1951
	E. M. Felder			1951
	A. E. Robinson			1952
	D. A. Hill			1953
	N. J. Pass			1953 Shelby
	P. W. Webb			1953
	D. L. Thomas			December 7, 1953 Raleigh
	J. W. Hall			1954 Oxford
	J. W. Lynch			February 3, 1954 High Point
	P. I. Wells			April 2, 1953 Greensboro
	R. J. Shipp			May 4, 1953
	S. B. Cornelius			1954
	R. B. Rhyne			1956 Red Springs
	J. L. Alford			1958 Sanford
	Beverly Brown		1943	1957 Reidsville
	T. H. Wooten		1931	1957 Charlotte
	B. J. Stewart		1937	1958 Reidsville
	R. W. Winchester		1901	1959 Greensboro
	S. B. McBrayer		1936	1959 Shelby
	B. F. Gleaves		1924	1959 Maxton
	J. H. Ledwell		1932	1959 Greensboro

HISTORICAL VIEW

From the organization of Methodism in America, the work in North Carolina was continued in Virginia and afterwards in the Virginia and South Carolina Conference. In the year 1836, the General Conference set up in North Carolina. Its first session opened as a part of the Virginia Conference, but when it adjourned, there were two Conferences.

Facts from the first ninety sessions are gleaned from the General Minutes from the Conference Journal for those years, which is now in custody of the North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

At the Confeernce of December 4, 1844, there were 10,495 white members and 3,100 colored. Without consulting the wisdom of the latter, nearly the whole membership became a part of a new church, organized in May, 1845, and called the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Some of the colored members entered the A.M.E. Church, some of the colored M.E. Church of America, but thousands turned gladly to the bosom of the old Methodist Episcopal Church as it returned to the State after the Civil War.

Between the years 1844, when the Church was separated over the slave question, and in 1865, when at the close of the War, the M.E. Church returned to shepherd its scattering flock in North Carolina, there was no session of the North Carolina Conference.

From the North Carolina Conference, the Blue Ridge was formed with twelve preachers, 2,839 members and probationers, and 41 church edifices.

CONFERENCE SESSIONS

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
1—February 8, 1837	Petersburg, Va.		G. H. Leigh		20030	
2—January 31, 1838	Greensboro	Morris	G. H. Leigh		20030	
3—January 26, 1839	Louisburg	Andrews	G. H. Leigh		20225	
4—January 29, 1840	New Bern	Morris	S. S. Bryant		25889	
5—December 20, 1840	Mocksville	Morris	S. S. Bryant		20597	
6—October 26, 1841	Raleigh		S. S. Bryant		22854	
7—October 26, 1842	Louisburg	Waugh	S. S. Bryant		28415	

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
8—October 25, 1843	Halifax	Soule	S. S. Bryant		21247	
9—December 4, 1844	Pittsburgh	Morris	Wm. G. Matton	17	4100	
10—January 14, 1868	Union Chapel	Ames				
11—January 6, 1869	High Point	James	Wm. G. Matton	26	4500	69
12—January 20, 1871	Lincolnton	Simpson	Wm. G. Matton	36	8111	79
13—December 28, 1872	Greensboro	Simpson	Wm. G. Matton	36	811	79
14—January 8, 1873	Charlotte	Ames	Wm. G. Matton	37	8263	79
15—January 7, 1874	Lexington	Haven	Wm. G. Matton	25	9531	100
16—January 5, 1875	Greensboro	Wiley	Wm. G. Matton	44	8582	97
17—January 5, 1876	Winston	Foster	Wm. G. Matton	44	9717	104
18—January 10, 1877	Wilmington	Harris	Wm. G. Matton	44	10171	106
19—January 24, 1878	Lumberton	Scott	E. O. Thayer	42	8520	112
20—January 30, 1879	Greensboro	Peck	E. O. Thayer	46	8525	127
21—February 4, 1880	High Point	Simpson	E. O. Thayer	30	9854	97
22—January 27, 1881	Raleigh	Warren	E. O. Thayer	34	1012	97
23—January 26, 1882	Laurinburg	Foster	W. F. Steele	37	7228	92
24—January 31, 1883	Winston	Merrill	W. F. Steele	37	7498	87
25—February 6, 1884	Greensboro	Bowman	W. F. Steele	37	7761	94
26—February 5, 1885	Lumberton	Andrews	W. F. Steele	41	8167	96
27—February 11, 1886	Charlotte	Ninee	W. F. Steele	43	8371	96
28—October 14, 1886	Raleigh	Walden	W. F. Steele	44	8424	95
29—October 27, 1887	High Point	Mallalieu	W. F. Steele	49	9664	100
30—October 25, 1888	Lenoir	Fitzgerald	C. N. Grandison	52	8948	115
31—October 25, 1889	Goldsboro	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	54	8034	
32—October 23, 1890	Maxton	Joyce	C. N. Grandison	60		
33—October 15, 1891	Winston	Warren	C. N. Grandison	63	8200	116
34—October 20, 1892	Reidsville	Foss	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
35—October 19, 1893	Lexington	Hurst	J. P. Morris	66	8100	125
36—October 4, 1894	Oxford	Mallalieu	J. J. Morris	70	9612	124
37—October 16, 1895	Greensboro	Mallalieu	R. W. S. Thomas	78	8884	133
38—September 17, 1896	Charlotte	Andrews	R. W. S. Thomas			

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
71—October 23-27, 1929	Hickory	Smith, H. Lester	G. Haven Caldwell	88	13807	161
72—November 5-9, 1930	Winston-Salem	Mead, Chas. L.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	13757	161
73—November 25-29, 1931	High Point	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	92	13614	167
74—October 27-30, 1932	Reidsville	Smith, H. Lester	W. E. Hairston	91	13614	156
75—Sept. 28-Oct. 1, 1933	Maxton	Brown, W. E.	W. E. Hairston	90	13310	158
76—October 24-28, 1934	Lenoir	Brown, W. E.	W. E. Hairston	89	13220	163
77—October 22-27, 1935	Greensboro	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	83	13474	164
78—October 22-25, 1936	Hamlet	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	80	13470	164
79—October 27-31, 1937	Thomasville	Brown, W. E.	Cyrus W. Perry	78	13473	164
80—October 26-30, 1938	Hickory	Jones, R. E.	J. E. Brower	77	12400	164
81—October 25-29, 1939	West Raleigh	Clair, M. W.	J. E. Brower	77	13662	164
82—November 6-10, 1940	Laurinburg	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	73	13076	104
83—October 21-26, 1941	Winston-Salem	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	75	11876	164
84—Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 1942	Greensboro	Jones, R. E.	J. E. Brower	75	12706	164
85—October 27-31, 1943	Charlotte	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	72	12990	164
86—October 25-29, 1944	Lenoir	Shaw, A. P.	J. E. Brower	85	13088	178
87—Oct. 30-Nov. 4, 1945	Lumberton	Brooks, R. N.	J. E. Brower	82	12573	159
88—Oct. 29-Nov. 3, 1946	High Point	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wootten	85	13783	159
89—Oct. 28-Nov. 2, 1947	Reidsville	Shaw, A. P.	M. McCallum	89	12424	159
90—November 3-7, 1948	Hickory	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wootten	89	13232	159
91—November 3-6, 1949	Winston-Salem	Shaw, A. P.	T. H. Wootten			
92—November 2-5, 1950	Hamlet	Shaw, A. P.	C. L. Gidney			
93—Oct. 31-Nov. 4, 1951	High Point	Shaw, A. P.	C. L. Gidney	70		
94—June 4-8, 1952	Greensboro	Shaw, A. P.	W. R. Crawford	75		
95—June 3-7, 1953	Lenoir	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	75		
96—June 2-6, 1954	Asheville	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	70		
97—June 15-19, 1955	Laurinburg	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	67	14834	
98—May 29-June 3, 1956	Raleigh	Bowen, J. W. E.	W. R. Crawford	70	14877	87
99—June 4-June 9, 1957	Winston-Salem	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	79		87
100—June 10-15, 1958	Greensboro	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	76	13912	86
101—June 4-7, 1959	Fayetteville	Love, E. A.	W. R. Crawford	68	14975	86

Date	Place	Bishop	Secretary	Preachers	In Class	Edifices
39—October 7, 1897	Laurinburg	Foster	R. W. S. Thomas	74	12751	133
40—October 13, 1898	Lenoir	Mallalieu	R. W. S. Thomas	77	1940	133
41—October 12, 1899	Winston	Fowler	R. E. Jones	73	9525	133
42—October 11, 1900	Reidsville	Foss	R. E. Jones	76	10579	133
43—October 17, 1901	High Point	Goodsell	R. E. Jones	78	10597	133
44—October 16, 1902	Mount Airy	Walden	R. E. Jones	80	19579	133
45—October 14, 1903	Greensboro	Joyce	S. A. Peeler	88	11100	152
46—October 13, 1904	Hickory	Fitzgerald	S. A. Peeler	76	9773	166
47—October 12, 1905	Maxton	Cranston	S. A. Peeler	76	11894	
48—October 11, 1906	Asheville	Burt	S. A. Peeler	79	10222	172
49—October 17, 1907	Winston	Spellmeyer	S. A. Peeler	81	10547	172
50—October 15, 1908	Charlotte	Bristol	S. A. Peeler	76	11063	172
51—October 14, 1909	High Point	Moore	S. A. Peeler	78	10984	179
52—October 6, 1910	Leaksville	Neely	S. A. Peeler	84	11400	162
53—October 12, 1911	Greensboro	Anderson	S. A. Peeler	79	12278	169
54—October 20, 1912	Lenoir	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	85	12700	171
55—November 20-23, 1913	Maxton	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	86	13225	173
56—November 26-30, 1914	Thomasville	Henderson	S. A. Peeler	84	14555	151
57—December 1-4, 1915	Winston	Wilson, L. B.	G. Haven Caldwell	91	13921	172
58—November 14-19, 1916	West Raleigh	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13762	195
59—November 14-18, 1917	Hickory	Hughes, E. H.	R. N. Brooks	88	14170	143
60—November 3-17, 1918	Charlotte	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143
61—November 12-16, 1919	High Point	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	89	14170	143
62—November 11-14, 1920	Winston	Bristol, Frank M.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	13206	195
63—November 8-12, 1922	Reidsville	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	90	12557	195
65—November 7-12, 1923	Laurinburg	Wilson, L. B.	G. Haven Caldwell	96	12000	195
66—Oct. 20-Nov. 2, 1924	Lexington	Bristol, Frank M.	J. A. Baxter	97	14537	218
67—Oct. 28-Nov. 1, 1925	Marion	Thirkield, W. P.	J. A. Baxter	97	13261	254
68—October 27-31, 1926	West Raleigh	Clair, M. W.	S. A. Peeler	97	13138	149
69—October 26-30, 1927	Madison	Thirkield, W. P.	S. A. Peeler	95	11796	161
70—Oct. 31-Nov. 4, 1928	Greensboro	Jones, R. E.	G. Haven Caldwell	98	13762	179

EXPOSITIVE COMMENT ON THE HISTORICAL VIEW

Apart from this historical view, no effort is made to give the exact number of years of existence of the North Carolina Conference. This statement appearing in our Conference Journal from the period when the first available journals were published until now, furnishes basis. No successful effort has been made to doubt or disregard this record.

The early journals stated clearly a division (namely Organization) in 1837-44, and reorganization in 1868-1958.

We do not claim a continuous operation of an organized North Carolina Conference as such. As indicated in the record, this Conference was a part of a Virginia, South Carolina, North Carolina organization, beginning in 1836. From this organization of a Conference in three states, the North Carolina Conference, as we know it now, evolved. What happened between the years 1844—when the ninth Conference is held—and 1868— when the tenth Conference convened, is a matter of uncertain history. Leaving out the happenings of those years of uncertainty, we feel that the years that remain are of sufficent historic interest to validate an established organization, giving us more than one hundred years of operation and fully one hundred sessions of the North Carolina Conference.

The years between 1844 and 1868 are years when the question of slavery was paramount—years when the Civil strife between the states was rife—years when Methodism, influenced by the times, was battling for solid footing—years when the Methodist Church separated into two camps: The Methodist Episcopal Church and the Methodist Episcopal Church South. During that period the Negro membership in the Church scattered. Many of them joined other denominations. But when the smoke of battle which had befogged an orderly existence of operation was cleared after 1865, the Methodist Episcopal Church took up its responsibility for its Negro members and reorganized them into the North Carolina Conference. Continuing the first nine years of existence and working on down until this date June 10-15, 1958, when the one hundredth session is being held.

—Taken From The Brochure
100th session of The North Carolina
Conference.—June 10-15, 1958.

THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

CONFERENCE RULES OF ORDER

1. The Conference shall meet at 9:00 a.m. and open with devotional exercises, and close at 12:30 p.m.

2. The Memorial Services shall be held the first morning of the Conference immediately following the Communion Service and shall include the calling of the roll of the honored dead.

3. The nominating committee consisting of five persons shall be appointed by the Bishop quadrennially.

4. No person shall be a member, concurrently, of more than two standing committees or commissions (except as provided for by the Discipline).

5. The Conference fiscal year shall end 20 days before the first day of the Annual Conference.

6. The pastors' reports shall be in the hands of the treasurer and statistician 15 days before the opening day of the Annual Conference.

7. The reports of all major commissions and committees shall be mimeographed and passed out at the seat of the Conference on or before the day the report is read.

8. The roll of Conference lay members shall be called at the opening day of the Conference.

9. The Treasurer's report shall be mimeographed and passed out at the meeting of the Conference.

10. The minutes of the Annual Conference shall be printed and distributed within 90 days after adjournment of the Conference.

11. All recommendations and memorials shall be presented to the Conference in duplicate form.

12. All motions from the floor shall be in writing when requested by the secretary of the Conference.

13. The program for the Annual Conference shall be arranged by a committee composed of the host pastor, the host district superintendent, the Conference lay leader, and two persons a large named by the nominating committee, in consultantation with the Bishop.

14. When a member wishes to speak he must arise and address the chair and shall not proceed until he is properly recognized by the presiding officer.

15. No member shall speak on any question more than once until all who wish to do so have spoken, nor shall a member speak more than ten minutes except by permission of the Conference.

16. Motions made and seconded, reports made and accepted are to be deemed the property of the Conference and cannot be withdrawn without the consent of the Conference.

17. All motions to lay on the table, to take from the table, shall be taken without debate, but the one who offers a formal motion or resolution shall have five minutes to close debates and this right shall not be forfeited by a motion ordering the previous question or to lay on the table.

18. All questions of privilege shall be decided by the president.

19. No member of the Conference shall be recognized who is outside the boundary of the Conference.

20. The following motions may take precedence of the original motion or precedence of each other in the order given here: (a) to adjourn to a given time; (b) to adjourn indefinitely; (c) to take up the order of the day; (d) to lay on the table; (e) to move up the order of the day; (f) to postpone to a given time; (g) to refer to a committee; (h) to amend; (i) to postpone indefinitely.

21. Any person voting with the majority may move a reconsideration, but such motion shall not be debatable.

22. The yeas and nays may be taken on any motion on the call of one-third of the members present.

23. These rules may be suspended by a two-third vote of the Conference.

24. These rules may be amended at any regular session of the Conference by a two-third vote, provided such amendments be presented in writing at least one day before action is taken.

Respectfully submitted:

COMMITTEE ON RULES,
NORTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE

(Made at the Conference 1956)
Raleigh, N. C.

CONSTITUTION

BOARD OF MANAGERS—BALTIMORE AREA PASTOR'S SCHOOL THE METHODIST CHURCH

Herewith is transmitted the Constitution of the Board of Managers Baltimore Area Pastor's School—The Methodist Church, and adopted by the Board of Managers in session at Baltimore, Maryland, September 11, 1957.

C. Anderson Davis, Chairman
Constitution Committee

Bishop Edgar A. Love
Resident Bishop
Henry H. Nichols, Pres.
Board of Managers

ARTICLE I. NAME AND PURPOSE

Section 1. **Name**—The name of this Board shall be the Board of Managers of the Baltimore Area Pastor's School—The Methodist Church.

Section 2. **Purpose**—The purpose shall be to provide counsel, make plans, elect a dean and other officers, staff members and teachers (nominated by the Dean), set us a budget, approve recommendations and reports, set the time and place of the Pastor's School and to transact any other business pertaining to the school.

ARTICLE II. BOARD MEMBERSHIP

The membership of the Board shall consist of: The Resident Bishop, and three members from each of the Annual Conferences of the Area. Two of the three conference representatives shall be nominated by the Conference Board of Ministerial Training and Qualifications and elected by the Conference, the third representative shall be the Executive Secretary of Christian Education. They shall be elected at the first session of the quadrennium and shall serve until the end of said quadrennium. They shall take office at the first meeting of the Board, called by the Resident Bishop, after each of the Annual Conferences shall have met.

ARTICLE III. OFFICERS AND DUTIES

Section 1. **Officers**—The Officers shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Secretary, an Assistant Secretary and a Treasurer. Each conference shall be represented in, at least, one office. They shall be elected quadrennially from the membership of the Board at the First Annual meeting of the new quadrennium, by a majority of the members of the Board, after being nominated by the Nominating Committee or from the floor.

Section 2. **President**—The President shall preside at meetings of the Board, counter sign all checks drawn on the treasury, represent the Board when necessary and perform other duties normally performed by a president.

Section 3. **Vice President**—The Vice President shall preside and act in the absence of the President and assist the President when needed.

Section 4. **Secretary**—The Secretary shall record the minutes, send out notices of all meetings and keep the president and members informed of any matters germane to the Board or Pastor's School.

Section 5. **Assistant Secretary**—The Assistant Secretary shall perform the duties of the Secretary in his absence and shall assist the Secretary when necessary.

Section 6. **Treasurer**—The Treasurer shall have charge of all monies of the Board, deposit the same in an account known as "The Baltimore Pastor's School," and shall write and sign all checks. He shall disburse funds only upon written order signed by the Secretary with the exception of bills pertaining to the expense of the School Session, in such cases, the Dean shall sign the order and report the same to the Secretary.

ARTICLE IV. MEETINGS

Section 1. **Time**—The Board shall meet annually on the first Tuesday in October. The place and hour to be determined by the President in consultation with the Resident Bishop. This date may be altered by the Executive Committee provided it shall be held in the Fall of the year. Special meetings may be called by the President or by a majority of the Executive Committee.

Section 2. **Quorum**—Seven members shall constitute a quorum for transacting business not otherwise specified, provided, at least, one member from three conferences of the Baltimore Area is present.

ARTICLE V. COMMITTEES

Section 1. **Committees**—There shall be the following committees representative of each of the Annual Conferences and consisting of not less than four persons: Executive Committee, Nominating Committee and Recommendations Committee.

Meetings of committees shall be regulated by the Board of Managers, and time and place of meetings shall be subject to the call of the Chairman.

Section 2. **Executive**—The Executive Committee shall be composed of the elected officers and the Resident Bishop. The President and Secretary of the Board shall be the chairman and Secretary of this Committee. It shall act for the Board between meetings in matters that are necessary to be acted upon before the next Board meeting and report its action to the next Board Meeting. It shall constitute the Finance Committee and recommend a budget to the Board after consultation with the Dean. It shall have the financial records audited by a certified Public Accountant.

Section 3. **Nominating**—The Nominating Committee shall nominate the officers of the Board of Managers, the Business Manager, the Dean and other Administrative Officers provided that others may be nominated from the floor. It shall be composed of one person from each Conference elected by the Board and shall elect its own chairman.

Section 4. **Recommendations**—The Recommendations Committee shall examine all reports; receive recommendations from members of the Board, Officers of the School, the Department of Ministerial Education and other sources; counsel with the Dean and others; and shall make any recommendations, as a result of the above procedure or otherwise, to the Board of Directors. The Vice President shall be chairman of this committee.

ARTICLE VI. PASTOR'S SCHOOL

Section 1. **Sessions**—The time and place of the school sessions shall be set by the Board of Managers.

Section 2. **Courses**—Courses for the school shall be selected by the Dean according to the procedure and rules of the Department of Ministerial Education.

Section 3. **Dean**—The Dean shall be elected at the first meeting of the New Quadrennium and shall serve until the end of said Quadrennium, or until his successor is elected. He shall be nominated by the Nominating Committee and elected by the incoming Board of Managers by a majority

of its members. He shall be responsible for the administration of the school in keeping with the rules and recommendations of the Board of Managers and the Department of Ministerial Education. He shall submit a written report, by mail, of the school to the Recommendations Committee following the school session; and a written report in person at the next Board Meeting; at the same time he shall submit nominations for the faculty of the coming school session.

Section 4. **The Faculty** shall be nominated by the Dean after consultation with the Resident Bishop and the Director of the Department of Ministerial Education.

Section 5. **Business Manager**—The Business Manager shall be elected quadrennially at the First Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers by a majority of its members. He shall be responsible for the business proceedings of the school in cooperation with the Dean.

ARTICLE VII. PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY

The rules contained in Robert's Rules of Order shall govern the Board meetings in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the Constitution of the Board.

ARTICLE VIII. METHOD OF AMENDING

This Constitution may be amended in the following manner:

A proposed amendment shall be submitted in writing to the Secretary, at least, sixty days before the Annual Meeting of the Board of Managers. The Secretary shall send the same through mail, to all of the members of the Board. The proposed amendment shall be submitted by the Secretary to the Board in session and shall require a three-fourths vote of the membership present and voting, for adoption.

Any part of this Constitution in conflict with the Discipline of the Methodist Church or the rules of the Department of Ministerial Education shall be amended after the Board of Managers reviews the same.

RECORD OF SERVICE IN THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

ALFORD, J. L.
1956 .... Leaksville
1957 .. Newton and Granite Falls
1958 ..... East Thomasville

ARMSTRONG, CLINTON C.
1951-59 ...Greensboro; Browning Chapel Instructor: Bennett College
1956 ..... Statesville Ct.

ASHFORD, JAMES DAVID
1950 ....Upper Mississippi Conf.
1950 ..... Ripley Ct.
1951 ..... West Point
1952 ..... Ackerman
1953 ..... In School
1956 Trans. to N. C. Conf. 6-2-56
1956 .... Leaksville
1957 .....Newton-Granite Falls
1958 .....E. Thomasville

BAILEY, CHARLES W., SR.
1946-54 ..... Wilkesboro; Boone
1956 ..... Statesville Ct.

BETHEA, JOSEPH BENJAMIN
1952 ..... In School
1953 ..... Walhalla
1954 ..... Ninety-Six
1956 .....Rec'd in N. C. Conf.
1956 ..... Elkin-Jonesville

BLACK, EUGENE
1943 ..... Brown Summit
1949 ..... Basses; Raleigh
1959 .....South Greensboro

BLANTON, JOHN JULIUS
1911 ..... Newton
1913 ..... Machpelah
1914 ..... Machpelah; Stanley
1915 ..... Walnut Cove
1919 ..... Wilkesboro
1920 ..... Elkin; Jonesville
1925 ..... Lowesville
1926 ..... Lowesville; Ebenezer
1928 ..... Retired
Died 3-20-49

BRIDGES, RAMSAY MAY
1942 ..... Washington; Asbury (Asst.)
1943 ..... Cumberland; Frostburg
1946 ..... Hickory
1949 .. .. Simpson (Charlotte)
1950 ... Transferred; N. Y. Conf.

BROOKS, GLENN ALBERT
1945 ..... Marion
1947 ..... Statesville
1949 ..... Asheboro
1953 ..... Lexington; Midway

BROWER, JOHN E.
1922 ..... South High Point
1925 ..... Reidsville
1929 ..... Laurinburg Cool Springs
1930 ..... Supt. Winston District
1936 ..... Asheville
1940 ... Greensboro; St. Matthews
1945 ... Supt. Greensboro District
1951 ... Greensboro; St. Matthews

BROWN, BEVERLY
1943 ..... Bomore; Mt. Zion
1944 ..... Statesville; Scott's Chlx.
1946 ..... Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1950 ..... Forest City
1951 ..... Reidsville
Died 9-1-57

BROWN, LEANDER A.
1929 ..... In School
1931 ..... Pen Hook
1933 ..... High Point; Brooks Memorial
1934 ..... Lexington
1938 ..... Lenoir
1940 .. Asheville; Berry Temple
1957 ..... Supt. Winston District

BROWN, WILLIAM T.
1943 ..... Kingston
1944 ..... Marumsco; Kingston
1946 ..... Maxton; Piney Grove
1948 ..... Raleigh
1951 ..... Fayetteville
1954 ..... Greensboro; Union Mem.
1957 . Supt. Greensboro District

BURGE, BENJAMIN
1912 ..... Lincolnton Ct.
1914 ..... King's Mt.; Lincolnton
1915 ..... Lenoir Ct.
1916 ..... Denver; Ebenezer
1918 ..... Ebenezer; Cornelius
1919 ... W. Asheville; Waynesville
1921 ..... Bessemer City
1926 ..... Lawndale; Brooks
1929 ..... Newton; Conover
1932 ..... Lenoir
1936 ..... Marion
1940 ..... Statesville; Philadelphia
1942 ..... Statesville Ct.
1944 ..... Newton Ct.
1957 ..... Retired
1957 ..... Mt. Holly

BURWICK, OSCAR W.
1939 Lenoir City
1940 Forest City
1941 Forest City; Shelby
1942 Boulware Chapel
1943 Johns; Beaver Dam
1944 Gastonia; Epworth Cherryville
1948 Maxton
1949 Hickory
1952 Maxton
1953 Asheboro
1958 Raleigh

BYERS, GEORGE W.
1887 Cleveland
1888 Goldborough
1890 Piney Grove; John Station
1892 Rowland; Salem
1896 Maxton
1897 Hamlet; Southern Pines
1899 Hamlet
1900 Lumberton
1901 Melrose; Hickory Bend
1906 Shelby; Falston
1907 Red Springs; Beaumont
1908 Red Springs; Hickory Bend
1910 Summerfield
1912 Greensboro; Northwest
1916 Greensboro; South
1924 Bolar
1925 Withers Chapel; Paine
1926 Wilkesboro
1928 Retired
Died 6-8-45

BYNUM, CHARLES G.
1926 Empire
1928 Newton; Conover
1930 Zion Hill; Hazes
1932 Old Fort; Gladees
1933 Greensboro; Southeast
1934 Greensboro; Extension
1938 Walkertown Chester Gv.
1939 Mt. Holly Ct.
1940 Johns; Beaver Dam
1941 Advance; Oak Grove
1945 Rural Hall; Pilot Mt.
1947 Randleman; St. Peters; Mt. Zion
1950 Lincolnton
1953 Mt. Airy
1956 Penhook Ct.
1957 Cox Chapel; Shady Grove

CALDWELL, FRED D.
1920 Boonesville; Rocky Mt.
1921 Bones Mill
1922 Advance
1923 Kernersville
1924 Kernersville
1926 In School
1927 Walkertown
1928 Ramseur
1929 Rowland; Salem
1930 Asheboro; Mitchell
1935 High Point; Brooks Mem.
1936 Maxton; Piney Grove
1938 Thomasville; St. John; Midway
1948 Supt. Laurinburg District
1954 Mt. Carmel; Warren St.; Greensboro

CALDWELL, GILBERT HAVEN
1908 North Greensboro
1909 In School
1910 Liberty; Glenola
1911 West Asheville
1913 Statesville; Philadelphia
1914 West Raleigh
1917 In School
1918 Y.M.C.A. Army Work
1919 Bennett College (Prof.)
1921 Bennett College (Dean)
1923 Samuel Houston College (Prof.)
1925 Asheville
1930 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1931 Supt. Western District
1937 Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1941 Conf. Youth Counselor
1944 Dallas, Texas; St. Paul
1948 Conf. Secretary Evang.
1949 Wesley Tab.; Galveston
1951 Faculty; Sam Houston College
1952 Prof.; Claflin College
1954 Ramseur; Laughlins
1957 Reidsville

COLE, WHYTT P.
1956 Mt. Airy-Pilot Mt.
1957 Trinity Ct.

CAMERON, WALTER J.
1932 Ramseur
1934 Greensboro; High St.
1936 Lumberton; Pembroke
1941 Raleigh
1947 Conf. Executive Secretary
1949 Supt. Western District
1955 Thomasville; St. John

CAMPT, LOWELL MASON
1945 Penhook; Boon's Mill
Died 8-8-49

CORRY, JOHN G.
1955 Upper Mississippi Conf.
1956 Trans. To N. C. Conf.
Received in N. C. Conf. 6-2-56
1956 In School Gammon Seminary
1957 Leaksville

CORNELIUS, SANDY B.
1896 ..... Franklin
1897 ..... Boone
1899 ... Waynesville; Beaver Dam
1900 ..... Waynesville
1901 ..... Franklin
1902 ..... Hendersonville
1903 ..... Supernumerary
1904 ..... Located-Own request
1906 ..... Readmitted; Old Fort
1907 ..... Black Mountain
1916 ..... Supernumerary
1924 ..... Retired
1925 ..... Supernumerary
1929 ..... Retired

CRAWFORD, WILLIAM R.
1943 ..... In School
1947 ..... Winston-Salem
Mt. Pleasant

DAVIS, H. A.
1923 ..... Randleman
1924 ..... Trinity
1925 ..... John Station
1927 ..... Johns-Beaver Dam
1928 ..... Kernersville
1929 ..... Ramseur
1931 ..... Brown Summit
1935 ..... Brown Summit-Caswell
1936 ..... Trinity; Glenola
1938 ..... Pen Hook
1941 ..... West Asheville
1943 ..... Wilkesboro Ct.
1944 ..... Kings Mountain
1945 ..... Mt. Holly
1947 ..... Empire
1952 ..... Mt. Zion; Greensboro

DULA, JOHN Q.
1936 ..... Pen Hook
1938 ..... Randleman
1940 ..... Empire Circuit
1944 ..... Forest City
1948 ..... Elkin; Jonesville
1956 ..... Shelby Ct.
1957 ..... Mooresville Ct.

FERREE, JAMES W.
1949 ... Statesville; Philadelphia
1955 ..... Maxton; Beauty Spot
1956 .... Maxton; Beauty Spot
1957 .. Lumberton; Beauty Spot

FINK, HENRY H.
1812 ..... Monroe; Bethel
1913 ..... Catawba; Ht. Morn
1918 ..... Retired
Died 2-9-20

FRAZIER, THOMAS C.
1906 ..... South Greenville
1909 ..... Belton
1911 ..... Greenwood
1912 ..... Chesnee
1914 ..... Wilkinsville
1914 ..... Townsville; Bullock
1916 ..... Lawndale; Flat Rock
1918 ... Bessemer City; Kings Mt.
1919 ..... Bessemer City; Galillee
1921 ..... Winston; Mayes Chapel
1924 ..... Forest City
1926 ..... Trans. to East Tennessee
1927 ..... Chattanooga; Staley
1928 ..... North Carolina; Phila.
1929 ..... Advance
1930 ..... Marion
1933 ... Statesville; Philadelphia
1937 ..... Catwaba Ct.
1938 ..... Lexington
1939 ... Brown Summit; Caswell
1940 ..... Basses; Browning
1941 ..... Kernersville Ct.
1942 ..... Wilkesboro Ct.
1943 ..... Mt. Holly Ct.
1944 ..... Mt. Holly; Rock Grove
1945 ..... Retired
Died 1958

FRIEND, IRA A.
1935 ..... Walnut Cove; Rockhill
1936 ..... Jones; Salem
1938 ..... Lowesville; Tuckers
1940 ..... Mooresville Ct.
1949 ... Mt. Airy; Jones Temple;
Pilot Mt.
1950 ..... Wesleys Chapel;
Chapel Hill
1955 ..... Red Springs
1957 ..... Forest City
1958 Mt. Zion and Philadelphia
1959 ..... Advance

FROST, EVANGELIST
1943 ..... Trinity; Glenola
1945 ..... Trinity Ct.
1946 ..... Thomasville; Trinity;
Glenola
1947 ..... Trinity Ct.
1955 ..... Retired

GAMBLE, JAMES WILLIAM
1930 ..... South Carolina Conf.
1930 ..... Pendleton Charge
1932 ..... No Record
1942 ..... Joined N. C. Conf.
1943 ..... Newport News;
Pleasant Ridge
1946 ..... Kings Mountain
1949 ... Catawba Larger Parish
1950 ..... Supernumerary

GANNAWAY, HERBERT C.
1926 ..... In School
1927 ..... Newport News
1928 ..... Gastonia

1932 ..... Rowland; Salem
1933 ..... Madison
1935 ..... Leaksville
1938 ..... Maxton
1940 ..... Maxton; Piney Grove
Died 7-7-45

GARRETT, JAMES HENRY
1903 ..... Jackson
1907 ..... Danville; Spray
1909 ..... Jackson
1914 ..... Jackson; Rankin
1916 ..... Wentworth; Settles
1922 ..... Caswell
1925 ..... Retired
Died 2-9-35

GIDNEY, CALVIN LEROY
1926 ..... Charlotte Mission
1927 ..... Rowland; Salem
1928 ..... Rockingham Ct.
1930 ..... Mount Airy
1932 ..... Winston-Salem; Mt. Pleasant
1933 ..... Newton; Conover
1934 ..... Sherrills Ford
1938 ..... Mooresville
1940 ..... Lowesville Ct.
1941 ..... Gastonia; Cherryville
1942 ..... Gastonia Ct.
1944 ..... Lexington
1952 ..... Lexington; Raleigh
1953 ..... Raleigh
1958 ..... Forest City

GLEAVES, BENJAMIN F.
1924 ..... Wilmington
1926 ..... Ramseur
1928 ..... Cherryville; Bethel
1929 ..... Shelby
1930 ..... Cherryville
1932 ..... Kings Mountain
1940 ..... Rowland; Salem
1942 ..... Philadelphia; New Zion; Pembroke
1944 ..... Hoffman; Pembroke
1946 ..... Wilmington; Bolton; Pembroke
1947 ..... Bolton
1949 ..... Bolton; Pembroke; Mt. Zion
1954 ..... New Zion; Mt. Zion
1958 ..... Retired
Died 1958

GRAHAM, OSCAR M.
1944 ..... Bolton
1945 ..... In School
1948 ..... Forest City
1949 ..... Gastonia
1950 ..... Chaplain—U. S. Army
1955 ..... Goldsboro
1958 ..... Bolton
1959 ..... Maxton

GWYNN, JAMES W.
1948 ..... In School
1951 ..... Ramseur
1953 ..... Oxford
1957 Winston-Salem, St. Andrews and Walnut Cove

HAIRSTON, W. E.
1917 ..... Empire
1918 ..... Newport News
1919 ..... Rowland; Salem
1921 ..... Leaksville
1926 ..... South High Point
1938 ..... High Point; Brooks Mem.
1929 ..... Lumberton
1936 ..... Hickory
1939 ..... Leave of Absence
1940 ..... Brown Summit Ct.
1941 ..... Asheboro; Mitchell
1946 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1954 ..... Sabbatical Leave
1955 ..... Wesley and Chapel Hill
1959 ..... Wesley

HALL, J. W.
1926 ..... Oxford
1929 ..... Oxford; Township
Died 1953

HARKNESS, DAVID S.
1935 ..... Loews; Spring Hill Johnson
1936 ..... In School
1939 ..... Kelleyton Ct.
1940 ..... Center Grove Ct.
1942 ..... Spring Hill
1942 ..... Waynesboro
1943 ..... Macon
1945 ..... Chaplain, U. S. Army
1948 ..... Gastonia
1949 ..... Kings Mountain
1950 ..... Ramseur
1951 ..... Chaplain, U. S. Army
1952 ..... Red Springs
1953 ..... Maxton
1955 ..... Marion

HILL, DOCK A.
1930 ..... Star
1931 ..... Liberty Grove
1933 ..... Trinity; Glenola
1936 ..... Brown Summitt
1938 ..... Advance; Oak Grove
1939 ..... Retired
1940 ..... Greensboro
1942 ..... Kernersville Ct.
1944 ..... Empire
1947 ..... Lincolnton Ct.
1949 ..... West Asheville
Died ?

HOGUE, GEORGE E.
1929 ..... Lenoir Ct.
1930 ..... Pen Hook

1931 ..... Franklin
1934 ..... Johns; Beaver Dam
1935 ..... John's; Salem
1936 ..... Red Springs; St. Mark's; Hickory Bend
1942 ..... Charlotte; Simpson Mem.
1943 ..... Supt. Western District
1949 ..... Ex. Sec. Conf. Bd. of Edu.
1951 ..... Laurinburg

HOUSTON, HOLTON HENRY
1935 ..... Hunters
1936 ..... Bessemer City
1940 ..... Lenoir Circuit
1943 ..... Lenoir
1946 ..... Lenoir
Died ?

HOWARD, CHARLES E.
1919 ..... Madison
1920 ..... Winston; Reynolda; Boston Cottage
1923 ..... Wilkesboro
1925 ..... Supernumerary
1926 ..... Mocksville
1927 ..... Lincolnton; Mt. Holly
1928 ..... Retired

ISHAM, JOHN H.
1919 ..... Newport News
1920 ..... Madison; Stoneville
1921 ..... Forest City
1924 ..... Oxford; Bullocks
1926 Rockingham; Philadelphia
Died 9-21-27

JENKINS, P. W.
1938 ..... In School
1939 ..... Thomasville
1941 ..... Chaplain, U. S. Army

JOHNSON, PETER F.
1898 ..... Marion
1899 ..... Standley; Mt. Holly
1901 ..... Monroe
1902 ..... Patterson
1903 ..... Newton
1904 ..... Winston Ct.
1905 ..... Advance; St. James
1907 ..... Salisbury
1909 ..... Jonesville
1912 ..... Sherrill's Ford
1916 ..... Marion; Addies Chapel
1918 ..... Lenoir
1919 ..... Newton; Conover
1920 ..... Lawndale; Flat Rock
1922 ..... Lincolnton; Mt. Holly
1924 ..... Mooresville; Mayhew
1926 ..... Old Fort
1927 ..... Greensboro; East
1928 ..... Asheboro
1930 ..... Rowland; Salem
1931 ..... Catawba
1932 ..... Wilkesboro
1933 ..... Bessemer City; Cherryville Bethel
1934 ..... Bessemer; Galilee
1935 ..... Lenoir Ct.
1937 ..... West Asheville
1938 ..... Retired
Died 1938

JONES, HENRY
1927 ..... Rural Hall
Died 5-27-41

JONES, JOHN W.
1916 ..... Kernersville
1920 ..... Madison Ct.
1922 ..... McPelah; St. James
1923 ..... McPelah; Stanley
1924 ..... Boone
1925 ..... Retired
Died December, 1930

JONES, JOHN WESLEY
1943 ..... Rural Hall; Pilot Mtn.
1945 ..... Thomasville
1948 ..... Hoover's Chapel; Andrew's Grove
1949 ..... Hoover's Chapel; Andrew's and Chestnut Grove
1954 ..... East Thomasville
1958 ..... Asheboro and St. Mark

JONES, JAMES T.
1950 ..... Browning Chapel
1951 ..... Gastonia; Epworth
1957 ..... Gastonia and Bessemer City
1958 ..... Gastonia

JONES, M. M.
1891 ..... Asheville
1894 ..... Maxton; Piney Grove
1895 ..... Reidsville
1896 ..... Greensboro
1898 ..... Laurinburg
1900 ..... Supt. Western District
1906 ..... Supt. Raleigh District
1909 ..... Supt. Winston District
1912 ..... Charlotte
1915 ..... Lexington; Thomasville
1917 ..... Red Springs; Hickory Bend
1918 ..... Red Springs; Bowmore
1920 ..... Supt. Wilmington District
Died 3-9-25

KIRKLAND, GEORGE DAVID
1942 ..... Catawba Ct.
Died 11-27-45

KEARSE, DAVID H.
1898 ..... Reidsville, S. C.
1899 ..... Yorkville
1901 ..... Cowpens
1913 ..... Seneca

1914 ..... Supernumerary
1915 ..... Withdrew
1921 ..... Durham; Creedmore
1922 ..... Lawndale; Brooks
1925 ..... Shelby Ct.
1926 ..... Bessemer City
1928 ..... Lincolnton; Mt. Holly; Stanley
1930 ..... Rockingham; So. Pines
1931 ..... Rockingham; Philadelphia
1932 ..... Pembroke Ct.
1938 ..... Retired
Died 1938

LAUGHLIN, JAMES A.
1898 ..... Statesville; Philadelphia
1902 ..... Central Randolph
1905 ..... West Greensboro
1910 ..... Greensboro; High St.; Bass
1914 ..... Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1918 ..... Supt. Western District
1923 ..... Guilford
1925 ..... Retired
Died 11-19-25

LAUGHLIN, MARCUS C.
1908 ..... East Greensboro
1919 ..... Lenoir
1924 ..... Newton; Conover
1925 ..... East Thomasville
1932 ..... Midway; Chestnut Grove
Died 7-17-33

LAUGHLIN, M. SAMUEL
1933 ..... Pen Hook
1936 ..... Ramseur
1940 ..... Red Springs; Beauty Spot
1941 ..... Marion; Old Fort
1942 ..... Marion Ct.
1944 ..... Marion; Addie Chapel
1945 ..... Madison; Stoneville
1947 ..... Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1953 ..... St. Home; Winston-Salem
1955 ..... Statesville
1956 ..... Wilkesboro Ct.
1958 ..... Lowesville

LEDWELL, JAMES H.
1932 ..... Caswell
1934 ..... Kernersville
1935 ..... Kernersville
1938 ..... Bass Chapel
1940 ..... Kernersville Ct.
1941 ..... Wesley; Chapel Hill
1950 ..... Retired
Died 1958

LOMAX, WALTER T.
1903 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1905 ..... Central Randolph
1910 ..... Reidsville Ct.
1912 ..... Greensboro; South
1916 ..... Greensboro; Northwest
1924 ..... Hickory
1929 ..... Reidsville
1933 ..... High Point; St. Mark's
1935 ..... Supt. Greensboro District
1941 ..... Basses; Raleigh's Crossroads
1949 ..... Retired
1950 ..... Brown Summit Charge
1953 ..... Kernersville

LYNCH, JAMES WATKINS
1946 ..... Asheboro
1949 ..... Kernersville
1951 ..... Supernumerary
Died 1956

MATTISON, ERNEST N.
1937 ..... Mt. Holly; Stanley
1939 ..... Newton Conover
1940 ..... Mt. Holly Circuit
1943 ..... Chaplain U. S. Army
1947 ..... In School
1949 ..... Fayetteville
1951 ..... Chaplain U. S. Army
1954 ..... Forest City
1957 ..... Washington Conference

MAYFIELD, LAMON
1936 ..... Randleman
1938 ..... Guilford; Kernersville
1939 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1940 ..... Ramseur; Marion
1941 ..... High Point; Brooks Mem.
1951 ..... Supt. Winston District
1957 ..... Winston-Salem: St. Paul

MILLS, JOHN S.
1956 ..... Wilmington
Trans. from A. M. E. Zion
1957 ..... Maxton
1959 ..... Chaplin U. S. Army

McBRAYER, SUMMIE B.
1936 ..... Bessemer; Galilee
1938 ..... Sherrils Ford; Lincolnton
1940 ..... Catawba Ct.
1942 ..... Newton Ct.
1944 ..... Shelby; Philadelphia; Durham Chapel
1945 ..... Mt. Airy
1949 ..... Rowland; Salem
1953 ..... Red Springs
1955 ..... Mooresboro; Philadelphia
Died 1959

McCALLUM, F. FELTON
1937 ..... Tazewell
1938 ..... S. Pittsburg
1939 ..... Chattanooga; Grace
1941 ..... Glade Springs Ct.
1942 ..... Winchester
1943 ..... Steubenville
1945 ..... Maysville
1946 ..... Evansville; Rockport

1948 Detroit; Mitchell Mem.
1949 Owensboro
1950 New Zion
1952 New London; Sec. Meth.
1953 Newport News
1954 Sanford Ct.
1955 Kings Mountain
1957 Red Springs
1959 Chapel Hill

McCALLUM, JAMES ENOCH
1947 In School
1950 Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1951 Conf. Dir. of Relig. Ed.
1955 Durham and Conf. Dir. of Relig. Ed.
1956 Chaplain, Wiley College

McCALLUM, JAMES H.
1942 Hoffman Ct.
1944 Bomore; Mt. Zion
1948 Bomore; Piney Grove
1949 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1951 Maxton
1953 Cool Springs; Hoffman
1956 Johns St.-Piney Grove

McCALLUM, MARSHALL
1921 Greensboro; Northeast
1924 In School
1927 Shelby; King's Mtn.
1928 Boston Univer. and Asst. Pastor, Fourth St. Methodist Church, Boston, Mass.
1929 Newport News
1930 Claflin College
1934 Orangeburg; Trinity Ch.
1938 Columbia; Wesley Church Prof. at Allen Univ.
1945 Lenoir
1948 Reidsville; Mt. Zion
1951 Hamlet
1957 Asheville

McCALLUM, ROBERT FRANK
1927 Elkin
1930 Greensboro; South
1933 Leaksville
1935 Winston-Salem; St. Andrews
1942 Supt. Winston District
1945 Supt. Laurinburg District
1948 St. John; Midway
1955 St. Home; Winston
1959 Mt. Tabor

McDONALD, SAMUEL
1907 Lumberton
1909 Mt. Airy
1911 Hamlet; Philadelphia
1913 Jonesville
1916 Forshee
1917 Central Randolph
1918 Retired
Died 9-2-20

McLEAN, DANIEL HUGH
1942 Daytona Beach, Fla.
1944 Gainesville, Fla.
1953 Lumberton, N. C.
1957 Hamlet

McLEOD, EDWARD MOTON
1925 Catawba Ct.
1927 Catawba Ct.
1928 Lowesville; McPelah; St. James
1932 Shelby; Brooks
1935 Forest City; Shelby
1937 Bowmore; Mt. Zion
1941 Ramseur
1944 Leaksville
1949 Bomore; Piney Grove
1954 Johns; Piney Grove
1956 Bolton
1955 Retired

McLEOD, WILLIAM S.
1933 Beauty Spot; Mt. Zion
1936 West Raleigh
1941 High Point; St. Marks
1945 Supt. Winston District
1951 Brooks Mem., High Point

McNAIR, JOHN R.
1907 In School
1908 Monroe; Bethel
1909 Wilmington Ct.
1912 Pleasant Ridge
1915 Lawndale; Flat Rock
1916 In School
1918 Leaksville
1921 Norfolk
1923 Bowmore; Sand Hill
1924 Retired
Died 11-28-41

McRAE, ROBERT B.
1922 Goldsboro
1923 Ramseur
1926 Franklin
1929 Mt. Pleasant; Winston-Salem
1930 Hamlet
1939 Charlotte
1940 Supt. Laurinburg District
1945 High Point; St. Mark
1950 Reidsville
1952 Forest City
1954 Fayetteville

MOORE, DOUGLAS E.
1950 In School
1953 Ramseur
1954 Leaksville
1956 Durham-Executive Sec.

PASS, NORRIS JAN
1906 Newport News
1907 Gastonia; Bessemer City
1908 Gastonia
1910 Lexington; Thomasville
1915 Charlotte
1918 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1923 Supt. Western District
1929 Lawndale; Brooks
1932 Forest City; Lawndale
1935 Lawndale; Brooks
1944 Shelby; Brooks
1945 Philadelphia
Died 1953

PATTERSON, GEORGE W.
1925 Boone
1926 Mooresville; Mayhew
1928 Marion
1929 Forest City
1930 Wilkesboro
1932 West Asheville
1933 Wilkesboro
1934 Catawba
1936 Newton; Conover
1939 Statesville; Philadelphia
1940 Kings Mtn. Ct
1941 Elkin
1944 John's Beaver Dam
1946 John's Beauty Spot
1947 Rowland; Salem
1949 Mooresville
1957 ..... Kings Mountain

PATTERSON, JOHN JETHRO
1940 Fayetteville
1943 Hamlet
1950 High Point

PEACE, SAMUEL F. B.
1896 Lenoir
1899 Gastonia
1900 Laurinburg
1906 Charlotte
1908 Supt. Greensboro District
1914 Greensboro; High St.; Raleigh
1919 Winston-Mays Chapel
1921 Rowland; Salem
1926 Hamlet
1929 Lexington
1933 Greensboro; South
1935 Mt. Airy
Died 12-14-37

PEELER, S. A.
1895 Savannah Conference Warren St. (Macon)
1898 Trans. to N. C. Conf.
1902 Greensboro
1905 Pres.; Bennett College
1913 Reidsville
1914 Supt. Wilmington Dist.
1920 High Point
1926 West Raleigh
1930 Asheville
1936 Greensboro; High St.
1939 Guilford
1941 Greensboro Ct.
1942 Retired
Died 12-3-48

PHELPS, GRANDISON M. SR.
1918 Reidsville
1925 Supt. Wilmington District
1930 Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1937 Supt. Western District
1943 Charlotte; Simpson Mem.
1945 Greensboro; St. Matthews
1950 Supt. Greensboro District
1957 Union Mem. Greensboro

PRINCE, JACOB C.
1904 Austell
1906 Oxford; Bullocks
1908 Asheville
1910 Reidsville
Died 5-23-11

RHYNE, ROBERT B.
1907 Lenoir Ct.
1908 Lincolnton Ct.
1909 King's Mtn. Stanley Creek
1912 Shelby; Lawndale
1915 Bessemer City; King's Mt.
1918 Hickory
1924 Lenoir
1932 Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1935 Asheboro; Mitchell
1941 Red Springs; Beauty Spot
1948 Retired
1948 Red Springs
1952 Cool Spot
1953 Beauty Spot
Died 9- -55

ROBINSON, AVERY EDNEY
1905 Franklin
1906 Madison Ct.
1908 Townsville; Clarksville
1909 Lenoir Ct.
1910 Madison Ct.
1912 Walnut Cove
1915 Advance Ct.
1919 Pen Hook; Hale's Ford
1921 Wilmington
1923 Empire
1925 Sherrill's Ford
1927 Old Fort
1929 Bessemer City; King's Mt.
1930 Lincolnton; Mt. Holly; Stanley
1932 Retired

ROYSTER, WILLIAM R.
1947 Addie Chapel; Glades; Old Fort
1948 Marion
1955 Shelby Ct.
1956 S. Greensboro
1959 St. Home; Winston

RUSH, J. C.
1918 Oxford
1921 Newport News
1922 East Thomasville
1925 South High Point
1926 Maxton; Piney Grove
1931 Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1933 Charlotte
1936 Supt. Laurinburg District
1939 Hickory
1940 Reidsville
1945 Winston-Salem; Mt. Pleasant
Died 4-21-47

SAWYER, JAMES FRANKLIN
1943 Sanford Ct.
1947 Johns; Beauty Spot
1953 Rowland

SCARBOROUGH, W. C. L.
1921 Winston; Mt. Pleasant
1923 Greensboro; High St.
1927 Thomasville
1929 High Point; Brooks Mem.
1931 West Raleigh
1936 Gastonia
1939 Hamlet
1940 Lenoir
1944 Winston-Salem; St. Paul
1957 Trans. Washington Conf.

SHAMBORGUER, NOAH S. T.
1907 Winston; Boston; St. James
1909 Wilmington
1910 Pleasant Ridge
1912 Mayhew Ct.
1915 Kernersville
1917 Asheboro; Mitchell
1919 Lowesville; Stanley
1921 Mooresville; Mayhew
1924 Sherrill's Ford
1925 Greensboro; Northwest
1930 Bowmore; Mt. Zion
Died 10-12-31

SHARPE, ROBERT C.
1933 Thomasville; E. Midway
1937 High Point; Brooks Mem.
1941 Browning; St. James
1944 Greensboro; Northwest
1946 Durham
1950 Warren St.; Mt. Carmel Greensboro
1954 Supt. Laurinburg District

SHARPE, RALPH DAVID
1943 Lumberton; New Zion
1949 Maxton
1950 Hickory

SHIPP, ROBERT JAMES
1898 W. Greensboro
1901 Central Randolph
1902 Statesville; Philadelphia
1904 Shelby; Falston
1906 Sherills Ford
1909 W. Asheville
1911 Trinity; Liberty
1913 Ramseur
1916 Empire
1917 Oxford
1918 Mt. Airy; Pilot Mtn.
1919 Goldsboro
1921 John's; Beaver Dam
1924 Bowmore; Sand Hill
1926 Beauty Spot; New Zion
1929 Wilkesboro
1930 Advance
1932 Mt. Zion; St. Mark; Hickory Bend
1933 Retired
Died ?

STEWART, BENJAMIN W.
1937 Advance; Oak Grove
1938 Forest City
1939 Leaksville
1944 Winston-Salem; Mt. Pleasant
1945 Charlotte; Simpson Mem. Chestnut Grove
1949 Madison; Stoneville
Died 1958

STOWE, ARTHUR WILLIS
1942 Boone Ct.
1943 Cornelius Ct.
1945 Denver Ct.
Lawesville Ct.
1958 Newton and Granite Falls

STRICKLAND, CLARENCE E.
1941 Hickory Bend
1943 Goldsboro
1944 Philadelphia; St. Peters
1945 Shelby
1955 Charlotte; Simpson

SWAN, E. I.
1911 Shelby; Lawndale
1912 Hickory
1915 West Asheville
1916 Lenoir
1917 West Raleigh
1918 Statesville; Philadelphia
1920 Marion; Addies
1922 Asheboro
1923 Goldsboro; Rocky Mt.

1924 ..... Catawba Ct.
1925 ..... Greensboro; Northeast
1928 ..... Bessemer City, Kings Mt.
1929 ..... Old Fort
1931 ..... Old Fort; Glades
1932 ..... Boone
1938 ..... Beauty Spot; New Zion
1939 ..... Retired
Died 10-3-41

TARPLEY, THOMAS CLEMIE
1943 ..... Walnut Cove; Walkertown
1945 ..... Chestnut Grove
1946 ..... Chestnut Grove; Laughlin Mem.
1953 ..... Randleman; Kernersville
1954 ..... Shady Grove; Cox Chapel
1957 ..... Collins Grove

TATUM, ELMO CHATTMAN
1937 ..... In School
1943 ..... Summerfield; Collins Grove
1945 ..... In School
1946 ..... Southern Pines
1947 ..... Prof. Philander Smith College
1948 ..... Chaplain; Arkansas State College
1949 ..... No record of appt. Chaplain U. S. Army

SHUFORD, JOHN W.
1915 ..... Goldsboro; New Bern
1916 ..... Lenoir Ct.
1917 ..... W. Asheville; Henderson
1918 ..... Waynesville; W. Ashford
1919 ..... Laurendale; Flat Rock
1920 ..... Newton; Conover
1924 ..... Gastonia
1925 ..... Marion; St. James
1928 ..... Greensboro; East
1935 ..... Greensboro; South
1954 ..... Mt. Tabor
1954 ..... Retired

SIMPSON, I. GRANTHAM
1947 ..... Charlotte; Mt. Holly; Boulware Chapel
1949 ..... Leaksville
1954 ..... S. Greensboro
1956 ..... Trans. Washington Conf.

SIMPSON, JOHN W.
1933 ..... Lexington
1934 ..... Thomasville
1935 ..... Greensboro; Northwest
1942 ..... Retired
Died 7-10-43

SKEEN, DAVID C.
1907 ..... High St.; Basses
1910 ..... Machpelah
1913 ..... Reidsville Ct.
1914 ..... Asheboro; Mitchell
1917 ..... South High Point
1921 ..... East Thomasville
1922 ..... Newport News
1923 ..... Rockingham; Philadelphia
1925 ..... Mt. Zion
1926 ..... Bowmore; Mt. Zion
1930 ..... Elkin; Jonesville
1931 ..... Elkin; Jonesboro
1935 ..... Madison; Rock Hill
1939 ..... Elkin
1941 ..... King's Mountain
1943 ..... Retired
1944 ..... Randleman
1947 ..... Warren St.
1953 ..... Philadelphia

STATON, BEVERLY E.
1927 ..... Pen Hook
1930 ..... Forest City
1932 ..... Lowesville; McPheeler; St. James
1933 ..... Lowesville; McPheeler
1934 ..... Lowesville; Tucker
1937 ..... Empire Ct.
1940 ..... Randleman
1944 ..... Jonesville; Elkin
1947 ..... Elkin
1948 ..... Catawba
Died 5-28-50

TAYLOR, PRINCE A., JR.,
1929 ..... In School
1931 ..... Kernersville; New Bethel
1932 ..... Northwest
1933 ..... Greensboro; Northwest
1935 ..... Thomasville
1938 ..... In School
1941 ..... Instructor; Bennett Col.
1943 ..... Dept. Religious Educa.; Gammon Seminary
1948 ..... Editor; Central Christian Advocate
1956 ..... Elected Bishop

THOMAS, BENJAMIN F.
1893 ..... Yadkin
1894 ..... E. Greensboro
1896 ..... Center; Julian
1898 ..... Summerfield
1900 ..... Rowland; Salem
1902 ..... Hamlet
1903 ..... Madison
1905 ..... Lowesville
1907 ..... Forest City; Bracketown
1909 ..... Wentworth
1913 ..... Lenoir
1914 ..... Wilkesboro

1919 ..... Trinity; Liberty
1921 ..... Walnut Cove
1923 ..... Madison Ct.
1924 ..... Randleman; St. Mark
1925 ..... Asheboro Ct.
1926 ..... Mt. Airy Ct.
1927 ..... Advance
1929 ..... Kernersville
1931 ..... Midway; Chestnut Grove
1932 ..... Sanford Ct.
1933 ..... Charlotte; Mission
1934 ..... Goldsboro
1935 ..... Retired

THOMAS, D. L.
1914 ..... Lenoir
1916 ..... West Asheville
1917 ..... Leaksville; Shady Grove
1918 ..... West Raleigh
1922 ..... Oxford, Bullocks
1924 ..... Red Springs
1926 ..... Lumberton
1929 ..... Thomasville
1934 ..... Winston-Salem; Bellview; Mt. Pleasant
1935 ..... West Asheville
1937 ..... Newport News
1939 ..... Trinity; Glenola
1941 ..... Philadelphia; New Zion
1942 ..... Sanford Ct.
1943 ..... Retired

THOMAS, W. O.
1910 ..... Jefferson
1911 ..... Marion; Old Fort
1914 ..... Trinity; Liberty
1916 ..... In School
1917 ..... Suwanee
1918 ..... Fort Street
1919 ..... Covington
1920 ..... Hogansville; Corinth
1922 ..... Supt. Rome District
1923 ..... Oak Hill
1924 ..... Sweet Home
1926 ..... Leave of Absence
1927 ..... Sweet Home
1928 ..... Center Point
1932 ..... Van Buren
1933 ..... New Edinburg
1934 ..... McGehee
1937 ..... Montgomery; Metropolitan
1938 ..... Lafayette
1940 ..... Hamlet
1943 ..... Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1945 ..... **Secretary of Evangelism**
1946 ..... Winston-Salem St. Andrews
1947 ..... Madison
1949 ..... Retired
Died 3-6-50

TOWNSHIP, **SAMUEL L.**
1940 ..... Philadelphia; New Zion
1941 ..... Newport News; Pleasant Ridge
1943 ..... Greensboro; Northwest
1944 ..... Wilmington
1945 ..... Reidsville
1948 ..... Lenoir

WALLS, WILLIAM R.
1950 ..... Charlotte; Boulware Chapel
1952 ..... Philadelphia; Hoffman
1953 ..... Greensboro; Laughlins
1954 ..... Withdrew from the Methodist Church
1958 ..... Withdrew from the Methodist Church

WEATHERBY, R. T.
1901 ..... Sec. YMCA, Tennessee
1908 ..... Murfreesboro
1910 ..... Nashville
1912 ..... Greensboro; St. Matthews
1918 YMCA Work—U. S. Army
1922 ..... Evangelist; Bd. of Missions
1923 ..... Field Asst.; Sec. Bd., Home Missions and Ch. Ext.
1924 ..... Greensboro; St. Matthews
Died 7-21-40

WEBB, PRINCE WILLIAM
1900 ..... Ft. Smith, Arkansas
1902 ..... Van Buren
1903 ..... Little Rock
1910 ..... Union Grove
1911 ..... Marvel
1912 ..... Fayetteville
1913 ..... In School
1915 ..... Lonoke; Richwood
1917 ..... Hot Springs
1918 ..... Hunter
1921 ..... Forest City; Widener Msn.
1922 ..... Brinkley Ct.
1923 ..... Leave of Absence
1925 ..... Indiana Harbor
1926 ..... Porter
1927 ..... Eufaula
1929 ..... Davis Ct.
1930 ..... St. James
1931 ..... Supt. Marion District
1933 ..... Little Rock
1934 ..... Ft. Gibson
1935 ..... Shawnee Ct.
1937 ..... Nashville Ct.
1938 ..... New Edinburg
1939 ..... Danville Ct.
1940 ..... Paroloma
1941 ..... Johns; Beaver Dam

1943 ..... Shelby
1944 ..... Ramseur
1948 ..... Lowesville
Died ?

WELLS, JOHN W.
1899 ..... Raleigh
1900 ..... Hickory; Newton
1901 ..... Lenoir
1903 ..... Forest City
1904 ..... In School
1906 ..... West Asheville
1907 ..... Maxton
1909 ..... High Point
1913 ..... Leaksville
1916 ..... Reidsville
1918 ..... Nashville; Braden
1920 ..... Supt. Murfreesboro Dist.
1922 ..... Marshall, Texas
1925 ..... New Orleans; Mt. Zion
1926 ..... New Orleans; Trinity
1927 ..... Shreveport
1929 ..... Mobile, Alabama
1930 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1931 ..... Charlotte
1933 ..... Winston-Salem; Belview
Died 6-18-34 Mt. Pleasant

WELLS, PINKNEY
1908 ..... Advance; Wesley; Mocksville
1909 ..... South High Point
1911 ..... Mt. Airy
1915 ..... Mt. Zion; Bomore
1917 ..... Lexington; Thomasville
1924 ..... Greensboro; East
1927 ..... Leaksville
1929 ..... Hickory
1931 ..... Maxton; Piney Grove
1936 ..... Reidsville; Wesley Chapel
1940 ..... Greensboro; High St.
1946 ..... Greensboro; N. West
1947 ..... Greensboro; Browning
1948 ..... Mt. Carmel; Mt. Tabor
Died 1954

WILLIAMS, D. ARTHUR
1909 ..... Franklin
1910 ..... Lenoir Ct.
1911 ..... Salisbury; Morning Star
1912 ..... Wilmington
1913 ..... Goldsboro; New Bern
1915 ..... Lanes Chapel; St. Johns
1916 ..... Lincolnton; Cherryville
1919 ..... Supernumerary
1939 ..... Boone
1940 ..... Mooresboro
1941 ..... Hunters; Cornelius
1942 ..... Wingate
1944 ..... Bracket Town
1945 ..... Charlotte Boulware
1946 ..... Boulware; Monroe
1947 ..... Goldsboro
1950 ..... Retired

WINCHESTER, ROBERT W.
1901 ..... W. Asheville
1903 ..... Reidsville; Danville
1908 ..... Leaksville
1910 ..... Greensboro; St. Matthews
1912 ..... Supt. Winston District
1918 ..... Greensboro; St. Matthews
1924 ..... Lexington; Thomasville
1925 ..... Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1929 ..... Supt. Western District
1931 ..... Supt. Greensboro District
1935 ..... High Point; St. Marks
1941 ..... Supt. Greensboro District
1945 ..... Retired
1953 ..... Summerfield; Collins
Died 1958

WOODLAND, HORACE C.
1934 ..... In School
1935 ..... Dept. Religious Education Morristown College
1936 ..... Boston College
1937 ..... Winston-Salem St. Paul Asst.
1942 ..... Mt. Airy
1945 ..... Director of Youth and Religious Education
1946 ..... Conf. Youth Counselor
1947 ..... Raleigh
1948 ..... Supernumerary

WOOTTEN, Thomas H.
1931 ..... In School
1932 ..... Newport News
1934 ..... Ramseur
1936 ..... Greensboro; East
1937 ..... Statesville; Philadelphia
1940 ..... Gastonia
1941 ..... Hickory
1946 ..... Laurinburg; Cool Springs
1949 ..... Lumberton
1955 ..... Supt. Western Dist.
1951 ..... Charlotte
Died 1958

SUPPLY PASTORS

RECORD OF SERVICE: P. G. CARTER

1943 Androve Grove and Mitchell
1946 Advance Charge
1950 Oak Grove and Rural Hall
1957 Pilot Mountain Circuit

SPECIAL SESSION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

HELD JULY 13, 1959 AT GALILEE METHODIST CHURCH
LAURINBURG, N. C.

Bishop E. A. Love, Presiding

William R. Crawford, Secretary

MONDAY, JULY 13, 1959 — 1 P.M.

DEVOTIONS: By Bishop Love.

THE ROLL CALL was omitted for this Special Session.

MOTION by, G. M. Phelps, "that Horace C. Woodland, who has become supernumerary, that it be lifted for restoration." Horace C. Woodland was appointed by Bishop Love, to serve as Associate Minister, to L. M. Mayfield at St. Paul Church, Winston-Salem, N. C. Motion approved.

ANNOUNCEMENT: Area Conference will be held at Bluefield, West Virginia, October 7-9, 1959, John Stewart Church.

PURPOSE of the called Session was explained by Bishop Love, which has to do with Church Extension in the North Carolina Conference. The churches under consideration are Galilee, where the meeting was held and John Wesley Church in Fayetteville, N. C., where the last Annual Conference was held.

Bills were called for by Bishop Love, from the two pastors of the churches under consideration. They were presented orally. After a lengthy discussion, pledges were called for by districts, which amounted to $2,538.00.

Greensboro District—$785; Western District—$580; Winston District—$485; Laurinburg—$688.

BISHOP LOVE pledged $100.00, to be divided equally to the four districts.

MOTION, By C. M. Winchester, "That the Conference raise the Cultivation Fund; To the extent that all above $10,000.00 to $25,000.00, be used for church extension, and that other churches needing help share in the $15,000.00. Motion passed.

SUBSTITUTE, motion by D. S. Harkness, ruled out of order

J. E. Brower, Motion, "That $13.00 per delegate to the Annual Conference become the prevailing fee. Seconded by R. C. Shapre. Motion passed.

CLOSING REMARKS, by Bishop Love, expressing his appreciation for the attendance to this Special Session. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

BENEDICTION

WINSTON DISTRICT CULTIVATION PLEDGES

Mrs. Zenobia N. Asheville	$ 25.00
H. A. Smith	25.00
W. P. Cole	25.00
J. J. Jones	25.00
J. W. Gwyn	25.00
J. J. Patterson	25.00
L. M. Mayfield	25.00
L. B. Eldridge	25.00
Miss Beatrice Watts	25.00
L. C. Jones	10.00
C. A. Barrett	10.00
P. G. Carter	10.00
W. T. Holland	10.00
L. C. Eldridge	10.00
Mrs. Iola Green	10.00
Buford Miller	10.00
H. M. Perry	10.00
Sister Ada Below	10.00
William R. Crawford	25.00
Richard C. Erwin (paid)	25.00
L. A. Brown	25.00
Mrs. G. B. Rush	10.00
Bishop Love	25.00
TOTAL	$455.00

LAURINBURG DISTRICT PLEDGES

Maxine Carter	$ 25.00
Mrs. Zephia Walls	25.00
Mrs. A. L. Ashe	10.00
Rev. J. F. Sawyer	25.00
Mrs. Ida Page	10.00
Mrs. Armstrong	10.00
Mr. J. A. Galbreath	8.00
Rev. A. H. Douglas	25.00
Mr. A. N. Jacobs	25.00
Rev. E. C. Campbell	25.00
Mrs. Lubertha Thompson	50.00
Rev. Walter Downs	10.00
Mrs. Walter Downs	10.00
Rev. E. A. Williams	25.00
Bishop Love	25.00
Mr. Bruce Hargrove	50.00
Mr. A. R. McNair	25.00
Rev. R. C. Sharpe	50.00
Rev. G. E. Hogue	60.00
Rev. R. B. McRae	50.00
Mr. S. T. Brooks	50.00
Rev. J. W. Ferree	25.00
Mrs. Emly Benton	10.00
Mrs. Mary Carroll	10.00
Rev. J. H. McCallum	50.00
TOTAL	$688.00

GREENSBORO DISTRICT PLEDGES

W. T. Brown, Superintendent

Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Brown	$150.00
Mr. Jarvis Mitchell	10.00
Rev. and Mrs. G. M. Phelps	50.00
Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Brower	50.00
Mr. Clarence Winchester	50.00
Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Tyler	25.00
Rev. and Mrs. Liston Sellers	25.00
Mr. D. W. Morehead	25.00
Mr. J. W. Sapp	25.00
Mr. C. C. Miller	25.00
Mr. Arthur Crump	10.00
Rev. W. N. Johnson	10.00
Rev. L. W. Coltrane	10.00
Mr. L. L. Shoffner (for Oxford Charge)	150.00
Rev. F. D. Caldwell	25.00
Rev. T. C. Tarpley	10.00
Rev. C. G. Bynum	50.00
Rev. F. D. Morehead	15.00
Miss Lola Powell	5.00
Rev. John Corry	25.00
Rev. G. H. Caldwell	25.00
Miss Fannie McCallum	25.00
Miss Estelle McCallum	25.00
Rev. D. E. Moore	25.00
Mrs. A. G. Vanstory	15.00
A. B. Caldwell (for Union Memorial Methodist Men)	50.00
TOTAL	$910.00

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S. Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets — Greensboro District

Charge and Church	Name of Pastor	Church Membership: Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Rec'd. this Year on Profession of Faith and Restored	Received by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarterly Conference	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Baptisms: Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	Baptisms: All Others: Children, Youth, Adults	Preparatory Members now on Roll	Church Schools: Officers and Teachers	Church School Membership: Child. Div. 0-11 Years: Nursery Home Members	Child. Div. 0-11 Years: Children (Exclude Col. 14)	Youth Division 12-23 Years	Adult Div. 24 Yrs. and Over: Adult-Home Members	Adult Div. 24 Yrs. and Over: Adults (Exclude Col. 17)	Total (Add 13-18 Inclusive)	Attendance: Avg. Attend. at Sun. Sch. (All Ages)	Avg. Attend. Sun. Evening Fellowship	Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions: Children	Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions: Youth	Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions: Older Adults
Bases & Raleigh Crossroad	Eugene Black	318	3	3	2				8	318	7	16	23	20		86	43	4	62	216	123	155	40	34	70
Bethel & Wentworth	E. J. Jones																								
Brown Summit	W. L. Naper	249	26	1	1				1	276	1	24	8	23		26	44		21	114	90			17	9
Collins Grove	T. C. Tarpley	35	7							42		24		7		20	11	2	12	52	45				
Cox & Shady Grove	C. G. Bynum	46	9																						
Durham	Douglas Moore	46	9	4	7					67	3	8	11			60	17		8		60			10	
Empire Circuit	F. D. Morehead	143	3					1	5	146	13	3	16	15	25	20	20	15	30	120	120				
Greensboro:																									
Browning Chapel	C. C. Armstrong	88	2					1		89				8		30	20		8	66	45			6	
Mount Tabor	J. W. Shuford	78	3							81			3	6		20	25		19	70	50				
Saint Matthews	J. E. Brower	651	11	14	4	4		4	10	662	13	5	135	23	65	106	70	38	48	350	232	61	52	41	35
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster	300	1		3					304	6		30	16		25	35	24	150	250	200	40			
Union Memorial	G. M. Phelps	252	20	6	8				2	286	3	20	20	14	35	45	30	4	26	135	75	10		40	28
Warren St. & Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell	152	10	2					2	158	5		4	16		46	30		22		72			15	
Kernersville	W. T. Lomax	67								67			8	8		7	9	14		38	25				
Laughlin & Ramseur	L. J. Sellars	195	2					2	3	195	2	5	15	30		35	32			130	160	55		45	20
Leaksville	J. G. Corry	201	5		2	1		1	4	202	3	5	13	14	26	78	46	22	74	260	148	17		17	
Mt. Zion & Zion Hills	J. H. Minor	25	3							28				8		10			15	25	25				
Newport News	E. A. Williams	186	1	1					1	187	1		30	36	10	36	21	9	105	40	31				19
Oxford Circuit	L. W. Coltrane	165	3		5				4	165	5	23	85	18	15	25	30	5	10	88	85	15	25	15	5
Raleigh	O. W. Burwick	189	5	3					1	197	1	4	32	15	10	69	24		54	172	61	70	33	15	17
Randleman	I. C. Spinks	23	4							27		4	17	12		17	11		14		32				
Reidsville	G. H. Caldwell	145	6		1				2	149	5	3	39	12		33	25		27	97	55		25	10	10
St. James & Summerfield	W. N. Johnson	60	18					2	1	76	1	21	8	21		41	32		43	117	23				
Saint Peters	R. M. Martin	100							1	99	2		2	9		23	37	1	19	89	63	45		19	30
Wesley & Chapel Hill	W. E. Hairston	356	41		2		10		5	382	2	35	35	19		65	43			161	115			22	15
Total		4070	194	34	35	5	10	11	49	4203	73	200	534	350	186	923	655	138	766	2550	1935	468	175	306	258

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S. Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets **Greensboro District**

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS — GENERAL INFORMATION						W. S. C. S.			Methodist Men				PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS			
		Number of Church Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Weekday Schools	Church School Members Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Are Lesson Materials Approved by The Methodist Church	Church School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.	Number of Societies (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Membership (Including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups	Membership	Number "Together" Subscriptions	Number of Organized Churches	Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Bldgs., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses
Bases & Raleigh Crossroads	Eugene Black	2	195			Yes	143	2	60	255	2	45		2	$ 70,000	$	$	$
Bethel & Wentworth	E. J. Jones					,,												
Brown Summit	W. L. Naper	3			7	,,	54	3		124					27,000			
Collins Grove	T. C. Tarpley	1				,,	1			200	1	20						4,000
Cox & Shady Grove	C. G. Bynum	2				,,								2				
Durham	Douglas Moore	1			6	,,		1	18	100	1	10		1				
Empire Circuit	F. D. Morehead	3				,,	25	4		200				3	8,500	200		
Greensboro:						,,												
Browning Chapel	C. C. Armstrong	1				,,		1			1	14		1	16,600			
Mount Tabor	J. W. Shuford	1	60			,,		1		600				1	35,000			
Saint Matthews	J. E. Brower	1	285	32	7	,,	42	1	286	1,200	1	61	10	1	155,000	15,000	11,000	1,200
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster	3				,,		3							80,000			
Union Memorial	G. M. Phelps	1	60		15	,,	100	1		400	1	20		1	76,000	1,500		1,600
Warren St. & Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell	2				,,	96	2	40	650				2	50,000	3,000		700
Kernersville	W. T. Lomax	1				,,		1						1	6,000			
Laughlin & Ramseur	L. J. Sellars	2	125		2	,,	250			150	2	20		2	25,000	5,000		
Leaksville	J. G. Corry	1	79	79	3	,,		1	40	157	1	21		1	30,000	5,000	9,700	
Mt. Zion & Zion Hills	J. H. Minor	2				,,								2				
Newport News	E. A. Williams	2	12	25	1	,,		2				20		2	10,200	8,000		1,600
Oxford Circuit	L. W. Coltrane	3	50	8	2	,,	4	2	30	105				3	67,000	13,000		8,000
Raleigh	O. W. Burwick	1	90	5		,,	37	1	40	330	1	35		1	55,000	22,000		11,196
Randleman	I. C. Spinks	1			4	,,		1						1	20,000			
Reidsville	G. H. Caldwell	1			3	,,	100		35	132	1	20		1	40,000	12,000		2,180
St. James & Summerfield	W. N. Johnson	2	61		12	,,	23		2					2	20,000			
Saint Peters	R. M. Martin	1	21	70		,,		3	38	300				1				
Wesley & Chapel Hill	W. E. Hairston	2			35	,,	25		35	1,155				2	55,000		1,000	7,000
Total		40	1,038	219	97		900	30	624	6,058	12	286	10	41	$846,300	$ 84,700	$ 21,700	$ 37,476

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S. Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets Laurinburg District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP												CHURCH SCHOOLS											
											Baptisms				CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP							ATTENDANCE				
															Child. Div. 0-11 Years			Adult Div. 24 Yrs. and Over				Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions				
		Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Rec'd. this Year on Profession of Faith and Restored	Received by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarterly Conference	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	All Others: Children, Youth, Adults	Preparatory Members now on Roll	Officers and Teachers	Nursery Home Members	Children (Exclude Col. 14)	Youth Division 12-23 Years	Adult-Home Members	Adults (Exclude Col. 17)	Total (Add 13-18 Inclusive)	Avg. Attend. at Sun. Sch. (All Ages)	Avg. Attend. Sun. Evening Fellowship	Children	Youth	Older Adults
Bolton & St. Peters	Walter Davis	63	3	....	....	....	....	1	....	65	....	....	....	10	.....	20	10	10	.....	50	23	....	....	....	....
Charlotte	C. E. Strickland	289	10	2	1	....	....	....	3	299	4	2	15	18	.....	.....	35	46	15	104	130	26	18	23	32
Fairmont & St. Mark	John Monroe	32	4	....	....	....	....	4	....	32	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	....	.....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....
Fayetteville	R. B. McRae	250	43	2	10	....	....	....	4	301	9	2	82	21	42	.....	42	.....	40	150	120	18	....	....	60
Goldsboro	Harland London	20	1	1	1	....	....	....	....	23	4	....	4	3	.....	7	5	.....	5	20	14	....	....	....	6
Hamlet	D. M. McLean	171	19	2	....	3	....	1	1	186	8	....	....	10	.....	70	....	.....	26	130	80	15	....	....	10
Hickory Bend	D. R. McGirt	22	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	23	....	....	5	5	.....	.....	10	11	.....	31	25	....	....	....	16
Hoffman & Millers	John McEachin	63	7	....	....	....	....	....	....	70	1	....	....	9	.....	27	19	.....	23	78	54	....	....	....	....
John Station & Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum	263	18	....	2	....	....	....	6	297	14	5	64	21	26	12	54	6	38	157	114	28	29	39	24
Laurinburg	G. E. Hogue	285	54	4	4	....	....	7	1	365	9	....	68	18	14	.....	100	6	.....	145	97	20	....	20	10
Lumberton & Beauty Spot	J. W. Ferree	275	12	....	8	....	....	....	5	290	10	....	87	25	.....	87	43	15	59	213	132	21	40	27	30
Maxton	O. M. Graham	138	8	5	5	....	....	....	....	156	4	4	25	14	.....	29	40	.....	16	109	90	30	....	30	10
Mt. Zion & Philadelphia	I. A. Friend	225	....	....	....	....	....	....	4	225	5	13	....	14	.....	.....	95	.....	.....	125	88	....	....	35	...
Pembroke & New Zion	E. C. Campbell	67	46	....	....	....	....	....	1	105	12	33	16	11	.....	.....	43	.....	40	49	55	....	....	20	20
Red Springs	F. F. McCallum	175	11	....	1	....	....	....	2	185	6	1	29	8	.....	.....	27	.....	11	56	38	25	18	9	5
Rowland & Salem	J. F. Sawyer	356	6	4	1	....	....	....	2	365	18	10	30	20	.....	70	75	.....	45	210	210	20	....	40	....
Sanford Circuit	A. H. Douglas	159	52	4	....	....	....	....	4	204	10	8	35	23	35	40	....	.....	35	125	90	....	....	....	15
Wilmington	J. H. Shivers	7	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....	.....	10	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Laurinburg Circuit	Miles Murphy	142	1	....	....	....	....	....	2	141	6	6	3	17	16	36	22	11	24	126	100	10	....	....	....
Total		3002	280	24	33	3	....	13	35	3341	120	84	463	247	133	408	620	105	380	1603	1425	216	105	241	238

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S. Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets Laurinburg District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS — GENERAL INFORMATION						W. S. C. S.			Methodist Men				PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS			
		Number of Church Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Weekday Schools	Church School Members Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Are Lesson Materials Approved by The Methodist Church	Church School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.	Number of Societies (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Membership (Including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups	Membership	Number "Together" Subscriptions	Number of Organized Churches	Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (Including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Bldgs., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses
Bolton & St. Peters	Walter Davis	2	...	...	...	Yes	...	1	10	...	...	...	...	2	$ 4,500	$...	$...	$...
Charlotte	C. E. Strickland	1	103	...	...	Yes	...	1	80	300	1	42	...	1	70,000	10,000	2,500	10,900
Fairmont & St. Mark	John Monroe	1	1	1	1	Yes	8	...	...	14	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
Fayetteville	R. B. McRae	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	85,000	15,000	15,000	53,000
Goldsboro	Harland London	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	12,000	3,000	600	...
Hamlet	D. M. McLean	1	...	...	14	Yes	300	1	25	144	1	15	...	1	70,000	9,000	1,200	...
Hickory Bend	D. R. McGirt	2	...	...	...	Yes	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	1	3,000	...	...	...
Hoffman & Millers	John McEachin	2	26	...	...	Yes	...	2	...	90	...	...	...	2	13,500	500	...	...
John Station & Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum	2	114	9	18	Yes	10	2	24	400	2	38	1	2	19,000	...	...	200
Laurinburg	G. E. Hogue	2	100	112	38	Yes	100	1	39	240	...	40	...	2	82,000	7,800	2,000	12,500
Lumberton & Beauty Spot	J. W. Ferree	2	170	...	6	Yes	190	2	49	149	2	55	16	2	67,000	7,000	...	22,700
Maxton	O. M. Graham	1	100	90	8	Yes	125	1	40	150	1	30	...	1	17,000	10,000	...	...
Mt. Zion & Philadelphia	I. A. Friend	2	...	...	...	Yes	304	2	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	40,000	...	...
Pembroke & New Zion	E. C. Campbell	2	...	2	34	Yes	75	...	...	60	...	...	...	2	2,300	...	...	...
Red Springs	F. F. McCallum	1	...	...	6	Yes	...	1	26	173	...	16	1	1	56,000	4,000	...	1,500
Rowland & Salem	J. F. Sawyer	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
Sanford Circuit	A. H. Douglas	3	...	...	40	Yes	60	3	...	137	...	...	1	3	10,000	...	...	...
Wilmington	J. H. Shivers	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Laurinburg Circuit	Miles Murphy	2	...	...	...	Yes	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	2	19,000	...	...	1,100
Total	...	31	614	214	166	...	1,172	20	299	1,957	8	236	21	31	$530,300	$106,300	$ 21,300	$101,900

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S. Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets Western District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP													CHURCH SCHOOLS												
											Baptisms					CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP							ATTENDANCE				
																Child. Div. 0-11 Years			Adult Div. 24 Yrs. and Over						Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions		
		Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Rec'd. this Year on Profession of Faith and Restored	Received by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarterly Conference	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	All Others: Children, Youth, Adults	Preparatory Members now on Roll	Officers and Teachers	Nursery Home Members	Children (Exclude Col. 14)	Youth Division 12-23 Years	Adult-Home Members	Adults (Exclude Col. 17)	Total (Add 13-18 Inclusive)	Avg. Attend. at Sun. Sch. (All Ages)	Avg. Attend. Sun. Evening Fellowship	Children	Youth	Older Adults
Asheville	Marshall McCallum	157	1	....	2	....	....	....	1	159	1	15	16	....	2	36	10	.....	15	75	50	25	12	15	....
Boone & Beaver Creek	O. S. Davenport	22	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	22	....	....	....	5	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	12	12	....	....	....	....
Catawba Circuit	R. H. McDowell	87	6	....	....	....	....	....	1	92	6	....	8	12	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	....	85	....	50	25	....
Forest City & Union Mills	C. L. Gidney	287	14	....	2	....	....	....	8	295	15	87	52	12	32	21	48	64	83	162	62	14	9	29	62
Franklin		....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Gastonia	J. T. Jones	169	3	2	3	....	....	....	....	177	11	1	81	15	10	55	33	5	31	149	....	....	12	14	....
Hickory & Conover	R. D. Sharpe	336	12	2	2	....	....	2	4	336	12	10	8	17	.....	68	42	.....	19	146	....	40	....	40	....
Kings Mountain	G. W. Patterson	163	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	165	1	6	6	20	30	40	25	15	.....	130	75	....	....	....	....
Lenoir & Warrior	S. L. Townsend	390	7	....	3	....	....	....	11	389	16	1	58	38	28	50	47	8	37	208	160	50	60	18	12
Lincolnton Circuit	C. O. Hill	155	13	....	....	2	....	....	2	168	13	6	31	30	.....	62	27	.....	68	158	158	56	....	....	92
Lowesville	M. S. Laughlin	167	14	....	....	....	....	....	2	183	19	....	15	32	16	17	60	4	70	199	130	40	20	6	37
Marion	D. S. Harkness	94	1	1	1	5	....	2	2	88	6	3	9	12	.....	52	14	.....	12	90	60	8	....	8	7
Mooresville	J. Q. Dula	284	5	1	3	....	....	1	6	296	5	....	37	34	.....	40	26	.....	20	108	60	....	....	....	....
Mooresboro & Philadelphia	S. B. McBrayer	249	17	....	....	....	....	....	....	266	....	....	40	12	30	40	27	.....	44	153	102	....	....	....	....
Mount Holly	B. L. Burge	97	11	....	3	....	....	1	3	109	22	3	27	13	.....	44	33	.....	12	102	65	8	....	....	....
Newton & Granite Falls	A. W. Stowe	165	9	....	1	....	....	1	2	171	9	7	59	30	4	19	40	4	147	177	115	31	64	15	17
Old Fort	John Bowman	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Shelby & Brooks	A. E. Robinson	143	19	....	2	....	....	1	3	160	1	20	21	16	.....	45	35	.....	44	140	50	12	8	33	....
Stanley Circuit	B. J. Dula	74	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	75	16	29	30	12	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	80	60	....	....	....	....
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey	111	8	....	....	....	....	....	....	117	....	103	103	16	.....	69	50	35	.....	170	94	....	....	40	....
West Asheville	Willis V. Leager	52	1	....	....	....	....	....	1	52	1	1	18	15	.....	.....	19	10	48	63	....	20	....	25	26
Wilkesboro Circuit	Charles Tyson	136	3	....	....	1	....	....	2	133	....	1	11	14	12	36	60	.....	40	162	86	....	....	20	....
Total		3340	34	6	24	8	....	8	48	3453	154	293	630	355	164	694	616	145	690	2484	1424	304	235	288	253

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S. Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets **Western District**

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS — GENERAL INFORMATION						W. S. C. S.			Methodist Men				PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS			
		Number of Church Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Weekday Schools	Church School Members Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Are Lesson Materials Approved by The Methodist Church	Church School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.	Number of Societies (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Membership (Including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups	Membership	Number "Together" Subscriptions	Number of Organized Churches	Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Bldgs., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses
Asheville	Marshall McCallum	1	65		14	Yes	4	1	35	41	1	18		1	$ 85,000	$ 15,000	$	$
Boone & Beaver Creek	O. S. Davenport	2				"				43					3,000	200		
Catawba Circuit	R. H. McDowell	4	65			"		3			2			4	15,000			1,500
Forest City & Union Mills	C. L. Gidney	1	44	87	8	"	42			121	1	22			40,000	16,000	4,000	
Franklin						"												
Gastonia	J. T. Jones	2	85		2	"	48	2	30	148		15	1	2	35,000	10,000		2,068
Hickory & Conover	R. D. Sharpe	2	150		18	"		2			1	35		2	84,000	14,000		13,000
Kings Mountain	G. W. Patterson	2		100	5	"	38	1		25				2	12,000	5,000		800
Lenoir & Warrior	S. L. Townsend	2	250	6	24	"	60	2	40	195	1	12		2	25,000	15,000		4,600
Lincolnton Circuit	C. O. Hill	3			13	"	60	2	15	186		8	1	4	30,000	5,000		
Lowesville	M. S. Laughlin	4	18		8	"	50	4	22	100	1	43		4	25,000			
Marion	D. S. Harkness	1	3	1	1	"	40	1	37	760			1	1	25,000	10,000		1,500
Mooresville	J. Q. Dula	4				"		4			1	15		4	38,000			1,500
Mooresboro & Philadelphia	S. B. McBrayer	2				"		2						2	45,000	10,000		9,000
Mount Holly	B. L. Burge	1	125		10	"		1	25	100		16		1	20,000			
Newton & Granite Falls	A. W. Stowe	2	150	15	5	"	100	2	45	62		27		2	40,000	14,000	1,600	2,200
Old Fort	John Bowman					"												
Shelby & Brooks	A. E. Robinson	2	54		16	"	110	2	55			34	1	2	19,000	7,000	3,000	
Stanley Circuit	B. J. Dula	2	40			"	50	2		60		17		2	3,000			
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey	2				"		2	28	2,400	1	10		2	38,000	6,000		6,400
West Asheville	Willis V. Leager	1	60			"	60	1				6		2	20,500	1,500		
Wilkesboro Circuit	Charles Tyson	2	45			"	120	2	20	100	1	14		2	50,000	6,000		
Total		42	1,154	209	124		782	36	352	4,341	10	292	4	41	$652,500	$134,700	$ 8,600	$ 42,568

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S.—Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets — Winston District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH MEMBERSHIP													CHURCH SCHOOLS											
											Baptisms				CHURCH SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP							ATTENDANCE				
																Child. Div. 0-11 Years			Adult Div. 24 Yrs. and Over							
		Total Full Members Reported Last Year	Rec'd. this Year on Profession of Faith and Restored	Received by Transfer from Other Methodist Churches	Received from Other Denominations	Removed by Transfer to Other Methodist Churches	Removed by Quarterly Conference	Removed to Other Denominations	Removed by Death	Total Full Members	Infants Presented by Parents or Guardian	All Others: Children, Youth, Adults	Preparatory Members now on Roll	Officers and Teachers	Nursery Home Members	Children (Exclude Col. 14)	Youth Division 12-23 Years	Adult-Home Members	Adults (Exclude Col. 17)	Total (Add 13-18 Inclusive)	Avg. Attend. at Sun. Sch. (All Ages)	Avg. Attend. Sun. Evening Fellowship	Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions: Children	Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions: Youth	Avg. Attend. Add. Sessions: Older Adults
Advance	L. H. Jones	55	1	1	....	....	....	....	1	47	....	1	....	5	.....	8	4	2	12	31	8	....	....	....	....
Asheboro	J. W. Jones	220	8	6	1	10	....	....	1	235	4	6	10	17	20	44	29	6	36	152	65	12	18	12	....
Elkin & Jonesville	J. B. Bethea	205	2	3	2	5	3	2	1	201	14	3	65	23	10	51	40	12	59	195	130	45	20	32	21
High Point:																									
Brooks Memorial	W. S. McLeod	224	7	....	3	....	....	....	....	234	2	3	5	12	4	49	35	1	38	138	97	46	29	20	85
St. Mark	J. J. Patterson	367	19	3	7	1	....	1	2	392	4	11	71	17	17	24	26	22	27	133	99	31	19	....	....
Lexington & Midway	G. A. Brooks	226	13	1	2	....	....	1	4	237	35	....	15	32	19	106	51	.....	45	253	198	45	80	60	30
Madison	H. A. Smith	285	5	1	3	1	....	....	2	293	1	....	12	21	33	83	61	85	.....	247	170	....	....	....	....
Mitchell	Open	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Mt. Airy Circuit	L. B. Eldridge	69	5	4	....	....	....	....	....	78	1	....	13	5	.....	30	8	2	14	59	33	....	....	5	....
Oak Grove	Otto Withers	39	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	39	....	....	10	10	6	10	22	6	24	88	46	....	....	18	....
Penhook	Buford Miller	182	6	....	2	....	....	1	2	187	....	6	17	7	.....	12	11	.....	16	39	30	....	....	....	....
Pilot Mountain	P. G. Carter	151	9	1	....	....	....	1	1	168	7	9	70	24	.....	66	48	10	48	72	116	44	29	26	23
Thomasville:																									
East Thomasville	J. D. Ashford	109	2	....	....	....	....	....	....	111	1	3	35	7	8	.....	14	12	10	69	50	10	36	14	7
Saint John	W. J. Cameron	220	11	....	1	....	....	....	4	226	8	11	16	18	16	34	43	10	18	103	80	35	....	33	16
Trinity Circuit	W. P. Cole	194	27	....	7	....	....	1	....	234	6	13	3	20	43	.....	45	4	93	220	130	120	45	27	38
Winston-Salem:																									
Mount Pleasant	W. R. Crawford	165	1	....	12	....	....	....	3	149	....	....	....	8	.....	9	13	.....	18	40	30	15	15	13	22
St. Andrews & Walnut Cove	J. W. Gwynn	233	10	....	2	....	....	....	5	243	3	....	36	14	.....	80	38	.....	33	165	100	84	35	16	....
Saint Home	R. F. McCollum	155	1	2	....	....	....	....	5	153	5	....	5	20	.....	32	48	15	.....	115	85	....	....	....	....
Saint Paul	L. M. Mayfield	749	15	6	5	6	2	....	8	751	5	6	65	13	10	65	22	8	45	155	103	....	40	20	35
Total		3848	142	28	48	23	5	7	40	3978	96	72	385	273	186	703	558	195	536	2274	1570	487	366	296	277

Table 1—Membership—Church School—W. D. C. S.—Methodist Men—Property and Other Assets — Winston District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	CHURCH SCHOOLS — GENERAL INFORMATION						W. S. C. S.			Methodist Men				PROPERTY AND OTHER ASSETS			
		Number of Church Schools on Charge	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Vac. Church Schools	Methodist Pupils and Constituents in Weekday Schools	Church School Members Joining the Ch. on Prof. of Faith	Are Lesson Materials Approved by The Methodist Church	Church School Offering for World Service and Conf. Benevo.	Number of Societies (Not Guilds, Groups, or Circles)	Membership (Including Wesleyan Service Guild)	Amount Paid for Local Work	Number Chartered Groups	Membership	Number "Together" Subscriptions	Number of Organized Churches	Estimated Value of Church Buildings, Equipment, and Land	Estimated Value of Parsonages, Furniture, and Land	Estimated Value of Other Property (including Cash, Bonds, etc.)	Indebtedness on Bldgs., Equipment, Parsonages, and Current Expenses
Advance	L. H. Jones	1	.....	.....	1	Yes	3	1	20	7	.....	10	.....	1	$ 6,950	$ 2,225	$ 400	$ 800
Asheboro	J. W. Jones	1	98	.....	8	"	96	2	35	25	1	35	.....	2	50,000	35,000	15,000	4,000
Elkin & Jonesville	J. B. Bethea	3	180	.....	.....	"	70	3	38	310	2	25	.....	4	60,000	8,500	5,600	7,200
High Point:						"												
Brooks Memorial	W. S. McLeod	1	90	5	7	"	40	1	93	10	.....	45	42	1	75,000	.....	.....	4,388
St. Mark	J. J. Patterson	1	109	41	11	"	15	1	90	590	1	51	.....	1	100,000	15,000	.....	.....
Lexington & Midway	G. A. Brooks	2	202	5	13	"	182	2	60	455	1	35	.....	2	110,000	6,000	.....	16,500
Madison	H. A. Smith	4	.....	.....	5	"	132	1	.....	.....	1	25	.....	.....	75,000	6,000	.....	1,330
Mitchell	Open	.....	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mt. Airy Circuit	L. B. Eldridge	.....	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	19,000	.....	.....	.....
Oak Grove	Otto Withers	1	.....	.....	.....	"	20	1	16	75	.....	.....	.....	1	5,000	.....	.....	650
Penhook	Buford Miller	3	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	3	20	.....	1	9	.....	3	14,000	1,000	.....	.....
Pilot Mountain	P. G. Carter	3	.....	.....	3	"	40	2	39	49	1	10	.....	3	26,000	.....	.....	900
Thomasville:						"												
East Thomasville	J. D. Ashford	2	45	.....	.....	"	59	2	34	80	1	12	.....	2	40,000	5,000	.....	5,250
Saint John	W. J. Cameron	1	60	.....	10	"	20	1	7	950	1	25	.....	1	75,000	20,000	.....	5,500
Trinity Circuit	W. P. Cole	3	115	.....	7	"	175	3	7	185	2	71	.....	3	10,000	.....	4,000	.....
Winston-Salem:						"												
Mount Pleasant	W. R. Crawford	1	.....	25	3	"	15	1	20	68	1	25	.....	1	40,00	5,000	.....	600
St. Andrews & Walnut Cove	J. W. Gwynn	2	150	.....	4	"	.....	2	60	.....	1	22	.....	2	105,000	7,000	6,000	18,000
Saint Home	R. F. McCollum	1	95	.....	.....	"	48	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	75,000	.....	.....	10,300
Saint Paul	L. M. Mayfield	1	80	.....	5	"	166	1	225	4,600	1	110	.....	1	80,000	12,500	5,000	267
Total	.....	31	1,224	76	67	.....	1,081	28	764	7,404	15	510	42	32	$965,950	$123,225	$ 36,000	$ 75,685

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences Greensboro District

Charge and Church	Name of Pastor	Expenditures for Local Church: Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Ministerial Support: Pastors and Associate Pastors: Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) Beg. this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate's(s') Travel and Expense Funds	District Superintendent's Fund: Apportioned	Paid	Episcopal Fund: Apportioned	Paid	Conference Claimant's Fund: Apportioned	Paid	Connectional Fund: General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area Conf. and Dist. Administration	Interdenom. Cooperation Fund: Apportioned	Paid
Basses & Raleigh Cross Road	Eugene Black	$	$ 432	$ 747	$ 289	$ 2,365	$ 2,200	$165	$ 2,365	$ 109	$ 308	$ 308	$ 40	$ 40	$ 300	$ 300	$ 15	$ 284	$ 8	$ 8
Bethel & Wentworth	E. J. Jones													9		16	4	36		2
Brown Summit	W. L. Napper		1,350	192	97	1,200	1,200		1,200	50	160	160	24	24	180	152	8	17	8	8
Collins Grove	T. C. Tarpley	2,066	50	175		480	480		480	68	50	50	15	15	108			19	4	4
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove	C. G. Bynum																	29		
Durham	D. E. Moore													29		180	3	16		3
Empire Circuit	F. D. Morehead				80		900		900	60		135		18		50	7	12		8
Greensboro:																				
Browning Chapel	C. C. Armstrong		650			1,400	1,400		1,400	600	157	157	28	28	210	210	5		3	3
Mt. Tabor	J. W. Shuford	990	750	964	100	860	800	60	860			119		16		120	3	29		3
Saint Matthews	J. E. Brower	732	1,750	4,510	885	4,162	4,000	162	4,162	200		565		80		600	18	214	9	9
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster													41		300				
Union Memorial	G. M. Phelps	2,653	100	5,144	200	3,100	3,000	100	3,100	900	320	320	60	60	450	450	15	23		8
Warren St.-Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell	654	695	963	236	2,164	2,000	164	2,164	400	300	300	40	40	300	300	15	75	5	5
Kernersville	W. T. Lomax					461	350	11	361		74	74		8		25	5	4		4
Laughlin & Ramseur	Lister Sellers		50	714		1,800	1,800		1,800	190	253	253	38	38	272	215	7	6	8	8
Leaksville	J. G. Corry		231	1,484	162		2,500		2,500	750	298	298	50	50	375	375	9	110	8	8
Mt. Zion & Zion Hill	J. H. Minor					440	440	40	480		48	48		9		25	6	20	4	
Newport News-Pleasant Ridge	E. A. Williams	360		5	100	1,300	1,300	144	1,444		215	115	36	30	270	31	3	4	4	4
Oxford Circuit	L. W. Coltrane	1,553	390	645	45		2,202	38	2,240	130	285	285		25		100		68	6	6
Raleigh	O. W. Burwick	2,249	515	1,051	130	3,019	3,019		3,019		320	320	59	59		210	15	77	7	7
Randelman	I. C. Spinks	700		43	40	293			393	51	52	52	8	8	25	25	3	2		
Reidsville	G. H. Caldwell	738	948	1,017	150				2,600			384		52		130	10	87		
St. James-Summerfield	W. N. Johnson	914		381	423				650	110		95		13		83	7	44		4
St. Peters	R. M. Martin	1,500	300	780	180	425	425		425	100	62	62	9	9	64	64			2	2
Wesley & Chapel Hill	W. E. Hairston		5,187	200	150				2,000	200		200		20	250		15	84		
Totals		$14,509	$13,398	$19,043	$3,267	$23,469	$28,016	$884	$34,543	$3,918	$2,902	$4,680	$407	$711	$2,554	$4,208	$173	$1,260	$ 76	$ 104

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences Greensboro District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																			
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences											Converence Benevolences								
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W. S. C. S. (Incl. W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advances and Cultivation	Church School Rally Day	Reserve Pension	Conference Journal	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total
Basses & Raleigh Cross Rd.	Eugene Black	$ 280	$ 280	$ 280	$...	$ 5	$ 5	$...	$.....	$ 5	$...	$ 5	$ 190	$ 11	$.....	$ 110	$ 18	$ 400	$ 15	$.....	$ 5,941
Bethel & Wentworth	E. J. Jones	.....	.....	25	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	28	12	.....	19	6	.....	10	.....	287
Brown Summit	W. L. Napper	.....	.....	160	....	5	....	....	41	5	....	5	107	10	.....	60	12	118	8	.....	3,666
Collins Grove	T. C. Tarpley	75	.....	75	....	6	....	....	44	3	3	3	52	9	.....	.....	3	81	10	.....	3,314
Cox Chapel-Shady Grove	C. G. Bynum	.....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	7	60	8	.....	119
Durham	D. E. Moore	.....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	.....	17	....	8	61	.....	.....	.....	7	25	11	6	404
Empire Circuit	F. D. Morehead	.....	.....	25	....	1	....	2	.....	....	....	1	100	.....	.....	17	15	80	12	97	1,540
Greensboro:																					
Browning Chapel	C. C. Armstrong	90	90	90	....	....	....	....	.....	2	2	2	76	10	.....	124	5	175	5	184	3,545
Mt. Tabor	J. W. Shuford	.....	.....	37	....	5	10	....	21	5	....	5	60	3	.....	.....	5	175	5	184	4,314
Saint Matthews	J. E. Brower	1,150	1,150	1,190	....	20	20	....	275	10	20	10	435	50	.....	254	20	920	20	995	17,019
South Greensboro	W. R. Royster	.....	.....	200	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	328	15	.....	1,409
Union Memorial	G. M. Phelps	.....	280	280	....	....	3	....	100	2	....	10	183	20	.....	107	8	400	14	213	14,299
Warren St.-Mt. Carmel	F. D. Caldwell	355	355	355	....	....	....	....	101	....	5	.....	130	10	.....	.....	10	400	15	1,409	7,872
Kernersville	W. T. Lomax	.....	.....	40	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	5	40	10	178	1,390
Laughlin & Ramseur	Lister Sellers	237	237	237	....	6	....	....	65	4	4	6	102	18	.....	.....	5	300	12	.....	4,068
Leaksville	J. G. Corry	280	280	280	....	11	15	....	183	20	25	25	208	62	.....	211	31	400	13	23	7,519
Mt. Zion & Zion Hill	J. H. Minor	.....	.....	29	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	53	.....	.....	30	.....	24	8	68	812
Newport News-Pleasant Rdg.	E. A. Williams	.....	.....	40	....	....	....	....	34	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	10	.....	3,356
Oxford Circuit	L. W. Coltrane	170	.....	15	....	8	....	....	105	9	10	10	140	.....	.....	.....	12	52	10	8	5,794
Raleigh	O. W. Burwick	335	335	.....	....	9	10	....	.....	....	....	9	158	.....	.....	110	15	400	13	.....	8,656
Randelman	I. C. Spinks	35	.....	23	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	46	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	6	.....	1,583
Reidsville	G. H. Caldwell	.....	.....	197	....	....	....	....	127	8	7	13	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	206	13	.....	5,653
St. James-Summerfield	W. N. Johnson	75	.....	75	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	54	12	.....	24	9	80	8	77	1,729
St. Peters	R. M. Martin	38	.....	38	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	3	55	.....	.....	29	3	35	5	.....	3,590
Wesley & Chapel Hill	W. E. Hairston	.....	.....	200	....	....	....	....	39	....	....	.....	150	.....	.....	70	5	200	20	290	8,775
Totals		$3,444	$2,672	$4,226	$...	$ 76	$ 63	$ 2	$1,135	$ 90	$ 76	$1 115	$2,578	$ 227	$.....	$1,165	$ 201	$4,964	$ 277	$3,623	$118,634

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences Laurinburg District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT											Connectional Fund			
						Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimant's Fund				Interdenom. Cooperation Fund	
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) Beg. this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate's(s') Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area Conf. and Dist. Administration	Apportioned	Paid
Bolton	Walter Davis	$.....	$.....	$.....	$ 17	$ 400	$ 540	$...	$ 540	$.....	$ 50	$ 50	$ 8	$ 4	$ 64	$ 40	$...	$ 4	$....	$....
Charlotte-Simpson	C. E. Strickland	2,700	1,000	1,200	210	4,000	4,000	25	4,025	200	400	400	72	72	550	500	....	59	.....	.....
Fairmont	John Monroe	14	.....	.....	8	187	.....	....	187	.....	.....	60	....	3	.....	5	1	2	.....	.....
Fayetteville	R. B. McRae	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
Goldsboro	Harlon London	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	15	.....	10	....	.....	.....	.....
Hamlet	D. H. McLean	1,000	1,500	1,200	100	.....	.....	....	2,700	600	400	.....	60	60	460	460	10	5	.....	.....
Hickory Bend Circuit	D. R. McGirt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	2	.....	5	1	9	.....	.....
Hoffman-Millers	John McEchain	270	42	49	.....	900	881	....	.....	.....	102	102	....	10	75	75	5	10	.....	.....
Johns-Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum	600	450	745	183	2,500	2,100	200	2,300	.....	.....	300	....	45	.....	322	20	200	.....	.....
Laurinburg	G. E. Hogue	1,600	46,915	78	180	2,380	.....	....	3,680	150	.....	478	....	25	.....	325	4	4	.....	.....
Laurinburg Circuit	Miles Murphy, Jr.	1,100	.....	.....	236	2,250	2,171	....	2,171	.....	240	240	45	45	335	125	....	9	.....	.....
Lumberton	J. W. Ferree	1,158	134	1,090	238	3,400	3,400	....	.....	660	545	545	68	68	510	330	5	66	.....	5
Maxton	O. M. Graham	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	15	.....	100	5	68	.....	.....
New Zion-Philadelphia	I. A. Friend	.....	8,000	288	88	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	17	.....	44	3	15	.....	.....
Pembroke	E. C. Campbell	.....	150	75	194	1,000	.....	100	1,100	.....	111	111	10	10	50	50	20	10	.....	.....
Red Springs	F. F. McCallum	200	1,000	300	235	2,349	2,349	....	.....	.....	280	280	....	10	.....	44	....	10	.....	.....
Rowland-Salem	J. F. Sawyer	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	10	.....	50	8	24	.....	.....
Sanford	A. H. Douglas	.....	800	80	52	2,100	1,800	....	1,800	.....	290	290	36	5	270	46	5	59	.....	.....
Wilmington	J. H. Shivers	477	.....	.....	30	.....	200	....	200	.....	.....	50	....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
Totals		$ 9,119	$67,191	$ 5,105	$1,771	$22,466	$17,441	$325	$18,703	10,161	18,703	$2,834	$316	$416	$2,314	$2,531	$ 86	$ 554	$....	$ 5

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																			
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences											Conference Benevolences								
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W. S. C. S. (incl. W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advances and Cultivation	Church School Rally Day	Reserve Pension	Conference Journal	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total
Bolton	Walter Davis	$ 30	$	$ 25	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$	$ 96	$	$	$ 50	$ 2	$	$	$	$ 732
Charlotte-Simpson	C. E. Strickland			250							10	10	234			75	17	263	10		1,092
Fairmont	John Monroe			15		14				2		2	22				2	5	3		345
Fayetteville	R. B. McRae			200									200					40		238	678
Goldsboro	Harlon London												26			15			5		71
Hamlet	D. H. McLean	350		350		5	5		144		2	2	203			13			16		8,172
Hickory Bend Circuit	D. R. McGirt			5								5	22			13					63
Hoffman-Millers	John McEchain	35		20								6	55			30	2	22	6	38	1,243
Johns-Piney Grove	J. H. McCallum			200					100				126				10		16		5,585
Laurinburg	G. E. Hogue			80		4	4		86		12	4	104			8	12				53,749
Laurinburg Circuit	Miles Murphy, Jr.	200		60		2	2	2				2	34			5		28	10	95	3,056
Lumberton	J. W. Ferree	300		200			8		178			5	235			85	15	100	16		8,454
Maxton	O. M. Graham			75									107			50		51	15	33	519
New Zion-Philadelphia	I. A. Friend								13				136								8,604
Pembroke	E. C. Campbell												89			15			10		1,770
Red Springs	F. F. McCallum	125		125							7	5	135			50	5	25	10	10	2,794
Rowland-Salem	J. F. Sawyer			50									95			20			11	19	287
Sanford	A. H. Douglas	250		66							5		120			20	5	5	15		3,317
Wilmington	J. H. Shivers								27				20					35			819
Totals		$1,290	$	$1,711	$	$ 25	$ 19	$ 2	$ 548	$ 2	$ 36	$ 41	$2,509	$	$	$ 444	$ 70	$ 574	$ 146	$ 433	$115,891

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences — Western District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT											Connectional Fund			
						Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimant's Fund				Interdenom Cooperation Fund	
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) Beg. this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate's(s') Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area Conf. and Dist. Administration	Apportioned	Paid
Asheville	Marshall McCallum	$ 2,900	$	$ 2,721	$ 183	$ 3,120	$ 3,120	$	$ 3,120	$ 485	$ 332	$ 332	$ 63	$ 63	$ 468	$ 468	$ 10	$ 210	$ 10	$ 10
Boone & Beaver Creek	O. S. Davenport	43			5	400	328		328		36	18		8		52	2	51		1
Catawba Circuit	R. H. Dowell													28		59	8	118		2
Forest City	C. L. Gidney	900												25		50		30		
Franklin-W. Asheville	W. V. Leazer													3		105	3	66		
Gastonia	J. T. Jones	499	162	318	173	2,480	2,480		2,480			290		48		326		57		10
Hickory & Conover	R. D. Sharpe	9,500	6,200	785	185	2,600	2,600		2,600	600	400	400	62	62	390	390	10	10		
Kings Mountain	G. W. Patterson	500		265	60	2,000					200	172		20		140	8	16		
Lenoir & Warrior	S. L. Townsend	1,400	400	1,714	380	3,630	3,630		3,630	500		410		60		510	10	130		10
Lincolnton Circuit	C. O. Hill				160	1,200	1,200		1,200		200	200	26	26		180	7	172		6
Lowesville Circuit	M. S. Laughlin	660	180	350	92	2,600	2,200	50	2,250	400	300	300	56	36	200	200	8	88		5
Marion	D. S. Harkness	600												40		200	8	158		5
Mooresville Circuit	J. Q. Dula	670		260	122	2,140	1,811		1,811	32	280	190	42	32	321	264	8	8	7	2
Mount Holly	B. L. Burge		10	194	242	850	800	50	850	60	150	150	16	11	120	120	5	35	4	3
Newton & Granite Falls	A. W. Stowe	800												46		345	9	215		9
Old Fort	J. L. Bowman																	13		
Shelby-Brooks	A. E. Robinson		45	385	120	3,392	3,092		3,092	200	267	267	67	67	503	260	8	67	7	7
Mooresboro-Philadelphia	C. B. McBrayer	1,296												20		66	2	142		2
Stanley & Hunter	Bert Dula	125			75	900	900		900		120	120	35	20		100	6	77		
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey	1,500												36		240	6	68		2
Wilkesboro Circuit	Charles Tyson	93		408	127	1,650	1,650		1,650	100	240	240		20		177	5	61		8
Totals		$21,486	$ 6,997	$ 7,400	$1,924	$26,962	$26,511	$100	$23,911	$2,327	$2,525	$3,089	$467	$671	$1,802	$4,252	$123	$1,787	$ 28	$ 82

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CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																			
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences											Conference Benevolences								
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W. S. C. S. (Incl. W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advances and Cultivation	Church School Rally Day	Reserve Pension	Conference Journal	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total
Asheville	Marshall McCallum	$ 300	$ 300	$ 300	$ ...	$ 15	$ 15	$ ...	$ 100	$ 10	$ 10	$ 10	$ 214	$ ...	$ ...	$ 175	$ 15	$ 282	$ 15	$ ...	$ 11,595
Boone & Beaver Creek	O. S. Davenport	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	25	...	...	14	...	25	2	...	618
Catawba Circuit	R. H. Dowell	...	...	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	87	18	...	82	6	81	15	...	1,903
Forest City	C. L. Gidney	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	1,095
Franklin-W. Asheville	W. V. Leazer	...	...	90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	...	...	...	9	5	4	...	320
Gastonia	J. T. Jones	633	633	633	...	5	6	...	26	12	7	5	140	...	...	100	15	145	13	...	5,268
Hickory & Conover	R. D. Sharpe	...	250	250	...	22	25	...	...	15	15	15	229	...	...	50	25	250	15	...	21,424
Kings Mountain	G. W. Patterson	...	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	120	8	...	...	7	75	10	...	1,433
Lenoir & Warrior	S. L. Townsend	225	225	225	...	15	15	...	65	10	15	10	224	...	...	50	20	300	15	...	9,963
Lincolnton Circuit	C. O. Hill	...	...	125	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	84	21	...	97	10	60	11	...	2,350
Lowesville Circuit	M. S. Laughlin	...	...	200	...	10	13	...	...	10	...	5	125	5	...	...	12	130	14	...	1,099
Marion	D. S. Harkness	...	...	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	104	21	...	70	10	100	...	...	1,416
Mooresville Circuit	J. Q. Dula	125	125	50	...	7	10	...	...	7	...	18	134	15	...	...	12	105	10	100	3,752
Mount Holly	B. L. Burge	110	110	110	...	...	4	...	...	...	3	...	83	...	...	75	5	100	8	6	2,062
Newton & Granite Falls	A. W. Stowe	...	...	190	...	10	5	...	...	10	8	10	159	28	...	172	17	133	12	...	2,178
Old Fort	J. L. Bowman	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28
Shelby-Brooks	A. E. Robinson	210	150	141	...	17	10	...	44	...	22	...	142	17	...	85	15	240	9	...	5,295
Mooresboro-Philadelphia	C. B. McBrayer	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	137	10	...	56	14	100	11	...	1,903
Stanley & Hunter	Bert Dula	...	...	45	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	15	...	29	10	70	6	...	1,653
Statesville Circuit	C. W. Bailey	...	...	140	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	134	9	...	56	10	175	10	...	2,388
Wilkesboro Circuit	Charles Tyson	...	137	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	9	107	27	...	14	...	131	12	...	3,286
Totals		$1,603	$1,984	$2,683	$ ...	$111	$105	$ ...	$ 235	$ 80	$ 89	$ 73	$2,419	$ 194	$ ...	$1,125	$ 212	$2,592	$ 192	$ 106	$ 84,172

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences — Winston District

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT												Connectional Fund			
						Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimant's Fund					Interdenom. Cooperation Fund	
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) Beg. this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate's(s') Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area Conf. and Dist. Administration	Apportioned	Paid
Advance	L. H. Jones	$.....	$ 185	$ 65	$.....	$ 550	$ 550	$...	$ 550	$ 25	$ 270	$ 270	$ 11	$ 11	$ 82	$ 82	$ 3	$ 83	$ 3	$....
Asheboro	J. W. Jones	660	250	425	275	3,016	3,016	....	3,016	.....	368	368	50	50	.....	350	12	12	.....	10
Elkin & Jonesville	J. B. Bethea	3,581	325	1,662	267	2,200	2,200	....	2,200	500	269	269	44	44	330	330	10	123	10	10
High Point:																					
Brooks Memorial	W. S. McLeod	1,774	530	2,420	335	3,380	3,380	....	3,380	.....	482	.....	....	62	.....	200	10	97	.....	2
Saint Mark	J. J. Patterson	.....	561	2,876	187	3,380	3,380	....	3,380	260	491	491	68	68	507	507	15	111	12	12
Lexington & Midway	G. A. Brooks	1,595	1,200	1,200	180	3,000	3,000	....	3,000	300	397	397	....	25	.....	300	12	12	.....	.....
Madison	H. A. Smith	1,868	476	392	.....	2,400	2,271	....	2,271	.....	319	319	45	45	340	340	10	10	10	10
Mitchell	E. J. Jones	.....	.....	37	6	130	144	....	144	.....	20	20	2	2	15	15	8	2	1	1
Mt. Airy Circuit	L. B. Eldridge	1,090	.....	40	26	.....	1,233	....	1,233	.....	.....	218	....	....	.....	100	4	77	6	.....
Oak Grove	Otto Withers	220	141	595	64	600	600	....	600	60	.....	90	....	12	.....	90	3	26	.....	.....
Penhook-Boone Mills	Buford Miller	.....	500	.....	.....	950	914	....	914	.....	.....	128	....	19	42	65	5	35	5	5
Pilot Mountain	P. G. Carter	600	.....	818	163	1,500	1,500	....	1,500	140	197	197	52	32	232	232	8	58	7	7
Thomasville:																					
East Thomasville	J. D. Ashford	1,286	20	200	95	2,280	2,280	....	2,280	.....	224	224	29	29	256	256	8	.....	.....	4
St. John	W. J. Cameron	2,000	300	700	175	.....	3,060	....	3,060	.....	.....	300	50	50	.....	300	10	72	.....	.....
Trinity Circuit	W. P. Cole	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	27	.....	213	6	72	.....	6
Winston-Salem:																					
Mt. Pleasant	W. R. Crawford	300	500	712	80	2,600	2,600	....	2,600	.....	243	243	48	48	397	397	8	64	5	5
St. Andrews-Walnut Cove	J. W. Gwyn	3,000	500	1,740	250	3,400	3,400	....	3,400	200	558	558	70	70	.....	400	12	117	12	12
St. Home	R. F. McCallum	1,680	350	1,160	150	1,900	1,600	70	1,670	300	276	276	35	35	238	238	8	8	10	10
St. Paul	L. M. Mayfield	.....	1,341	3,000	202	3,600	3,600	....	3,600	560	507	507	72	72	.....	504	15	123	.....	15
Totals		$19,604	$17,779	$18,042	$2,455	$34,886	$38,728	$ 70	$38,798	$2,345	$4,139	$5,357	$504	$702	$2,439	$4,955	$167	$1,102	$ 81	$ 109

Table 2—Expenditures for Local Church—Ministerial Support—Connectional Fund—Benevolences **Winston District**

CHARGE AND CHURCH	NAME OF PASTOR	BENEVOLENCES																			
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences											Conference Benevolences								
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid	World Service Special Gifts	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W. S. C. S. (Incl. W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advances and Cultivation	Church School Rally Day	Reserve Pension	Conference Journal	All Other Benevolences	Grand Total
Advance	L. H. Jones	$ 75	$ 75	$.....	$...	$ 3	$ 7	$...	$ 25	$ 4	$ ..	$ 3	$ 53	$ 14	$.....	$ 65	$ 11	$ 120	$ 8	$.....	$ 1,673
Asheboro	J. W. Jones	225	225	225	....	10	10	....	172	10	3	10	260	25	.....	.....	15	330	17	100	6,246
Elkin & Jonesville	J. B. Bethea	175	175	175	....	10	10	....	27	10	....	15	151	.....	.....	240	15	262	17	100	10,366
High Point:																					
Brooks Memorial	W. S. McLeod	271	271	200	....	5	5	....	137	2	10	10	160	3	.....	.....	10	211	15	189	10,249
Saint Mark	J. J. Patterson	450	450	450	....	....	....	....	270	12	6	.....	350	.....	.....	100	15	305	20	100	10,101
Lexington & Midway	G. A. Brooks	225	225	225	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	16	40	17	115	16,527
Madison	H. A. Smith	225	225	225	....	8	13	....	284	8	....	.....	150	70	.....	125	16	460	16	.....	6,905
Mitchell	E. J. Jones	27	27	12	....	1	2	....	.....	1	....	2	19	2	.....	.....	2	5	2	6	289
Mt. Airy Circuit	L. B. Eldridge	62	62	62	....	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	83	.....	.....	.....	.....	36	8	207	3,190
Oak Grove	Otto Withers	25	25	25	....	....	....	....	42	....	....	5	86	.....	.....	.....	2	60	10	96	2,169
Penhook-Boone Mills	Buford Miller	50	50	50	....	5	14	....	.....	....	....	.....	84	.....	.....	25	8	145	12	188	2,752
Pilot Mountain	P. G. Carter	175	175	175	....	6	10	....	37	5	....	3	143	27	.....	75	14	193	14	.....	4,477
Thomasville:																					
East Thomasville	J. D. Ashford	155	.....	116	....	....	3	....	.....	2	....	7	.....	30	.....	75	8	105	10	.....	3,901
St. John	W. J. Cameron	225	225	225	....	....	....	....	158	....	....	.....	150	.....	.....	25	16	285	15	284	8,150
Trinity Circuit	W. P. Cole	.....	.....	145	....	3	1	....	.....	1	....	15	125	1	.....	105	9	147	12	143	1,024
Winston-Salem:																					
Mt. Pleasant	W. R. Crawford	175	175	175	....	....	....	....	68	....	....	.....	13	160	.....	.....	15	105	15	40	5,548
St. Andrews-Walnut Cove	J. W. Gwyn	450	450	300	....	8	8	....	257	5	....	6	263	10	.....	115	20	350	20	100	11,921
St. Home	R. F. McCallum	225	225	150	....	....	8	....	.....	4	4	6	130	11	.....	.....	11	325	12	.....	6,263
St. Paul	L. M. Mayfield	750	750	750	....	6	10	....	345	10	....	15	482	20	.....	200	30	1,400	22	.....	13,267
Totals		$3,965	$3,810	$3,770	....	$ 66	$103	$...	$1,822	$ 74	$ 23	$ 115	$2,999	$ 202	$.....	$1,150	$ 237	$4,884	$ 260	$1,425	$128,745

RECAPITULATION B.—TABLE NO. 2

DISTRICT	SUPT.	EXPENDITURES FOR LOCAL CHURCH				MINISTERIAL SUPPORT											Connectional Fund			
						Pastors and Associate Pastors					District Superintendent's Fund		Episcopal Fund		Conference Claimants' Fund				Interdenom. Cooperation Fund	
		Paid on Principal and Interest on Old Indebtedness, etc.	Paid for Buildings and Improvements	Paid Other Current Expenses, Incidentals, etc.	Paid for Church School Administration, Lesson Materials, Supplies, etc.	Salary Claim for Pastor and Associate(s) Beg. this Yr.	Paid Pastor	Paid Associate Pastor(s)	Total Paid Pastor and Associate Pastor(s)	Paid Pastor's and Associate's(s') Travel and Expense Funds	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	Apportioned	Paid	General Administration	Jurisdictional, Area Conf. and Dist. Administration	Apportioned	Paid
Greensboro	.....	$14,509	$ 13,398	$19,043	$3,267	$ 23,469	$ 28,016	$ 884	$ 34,543	$3,918	$ 2,902	$ 4,680	$ 407	$ 711	$2,554	$ 4,208	$173	$1,260	$ 65	$ 101
Laurinburg	.....	9,119	67,191	5,105	1,771	22,466	17,441	325	18,703	1,016	18,703	2,834	316	416	2,314	2,531	86	554	.....	5
Western	.....	21,393	6,997	7,400	1,924	26,962	26,511	100	23,911	2,327	2,525	3,089	467	671	1,802	4,252	123	1,787	28	82
Winston	.....	19,654	17,779	18,042	2,455	34,886	38,728	70	38,798	2,345	4,139	5,357	504	702	2,439	4,955	167	1,102	81	109
Total	.....	$64,675	$105,365	$49,590	$9,417	$107,783	$110,696	$1,379	$115,955	$9,606	$28,269	$15,960	$1,694	$2,500	$9,109	$15,946	$549	$4,703	$ 174	$ 297

DISTRICT	SUPT.	BENEVOLENCES																				Grand Total
		World Service and Conf. Benevolences			World Service Special Gifts	Week of Dedication	Fellowship of Suffering and Service	Television Ministry Fund	W. S. C. S. (incl. W. S. G.) Cash Sent to District and Conference Treasurers	Methodist Student Day	Methodist Youth Fund	Race Relations Sunday	Conference Benevolences						Conference Journal	All Other Benevolences	
		Apportioned	Accepted	Paid									Colleges and Universities	Wesley Foundation	Homes for Children, Youth and the Aged	Conference Advances and Cultivation	Church School Rally Day	Reserve Pension			
Greensboro	.....	$ 3,444	$2,672	$ 3,953	$...	$ 76	$ 63	$...	$1,135	$ 90	$ 76	$ 115	$ 2,578	$ 227	$.....	$1,165	$ 201	$ 4,971	$ 277	$3,623	$118,361
Laurinburg	.....	1,290	.....	1,711	....	25	19	2	548	2	36	41	2,509	.....	.....	444	70	574	146	433	115,891
Western	.....	1,603	1,984	2,683	....	111	105	....	235	80	89	73	2,419	194	.....	1,125	212	2,592	192	106	84,172
Winston	.....	3,965	3,810	3,770	....	66	103	....	1,822	74	23	115	2,999	202	.....	1,161	237	4,884	260	1,425	128,606
Total	.....	$10,302	$8,466	$12,117	$...	$278	$290	$ 2	$3,740	$ 246	$ 224	$ 344	$10,505	$ 623	$.....	$3,895	$ 720	$13,021	$ 875	$5,587	$447,030

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